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# Council Speeds Latest Steps to Gain Torney

## City Faces Problem in Office Space

To Move or Not to Move, and Where? That's the Question

Delay by War Assets Administration in transferring the Palm Springs Airport to the City of Palm Springs has placed city officials and harried city fathers between the "devil and the deep blue sea" insofar as the proposal to move Village government to buildings now standing at the old army air base is concerned.

Soon after council was seated last month, City Manager William E. Alworth notified them that rent on buildings now occupied by city offices on Palm Canyon drive would be upped after June 1 to \$5,400.

HE SPECULATED that council inspect several buildings at the airport with the thought in mind of saving rent money, gaining more working room and bringing most of the various departments of the city within hailing distance of each other.

At Wednesday night's meeting City Manager William E. Alworth informed council that for some reason unknown to him the title transfer of the Airport by WAA although expected from week to week, has not yet arrived on his desk.

THIS SITUATION coupled with the fact that it would cost approximately \$3,200 to convert buildings T-15, T-50 and T-24 into city offices would make that amount of money wasted if the title was not forthcoming.

On top of this situation the city is confronted with signing a new lease on buildings now occupied by June 1 at the increased rate or move. But where, that's the question.

### This Side Of The Sun

By Phat

On the soc page today She's swiping my stuff— My Gosh, isn't one set of rhyming enough?

If it wasn't for the fact that I've got to have something to blamish the clean paper before I can get to writing, I wouldn't use that doggerel above. . . . Because I'm one of Jayno's most consistent readers. . . . But now that I'm under way, let's see what's on the agenda for this bright May Friday, the Seventh.

THERE WAS a news item in the public prints the other day that held my interest. . . . In Plainfield, N. J., a kitten was born with two heads. . . . I have often heard a woman refer to a bosom friend in absentia as a "two-faced cat" but until I read this news item I always said to myself there ain't no such animal. . . . Harry Oliver (nothing to do with cats, mind you) was in the other day. . . . Asked me if I'd ever heard about Mohamet and the mountain. . . . He said that he was using that same idea. . . . He was building an oasis at Palm Desert for Randall Henderson. . . . "Henderson," he said, "has gone to about every oasis there is. . . . So it's only fair that an oasis come to him."

ONE OF THE MAIN topics of conversation when California editors meet this month is going to be readability. . . . This means using type faces and make-up style which makes a paper easier to read. . . . They refer, of course, only to type when they speak of readability. . . . Not to handwriting. . . . Editors are notorious for their scrawls. . . . Horace Greeley's writing was terrible and the legend is that some of his best editorials were as much news to him when he read them as to the readers of the paper. . . . Seems he had a favorite compositor who was the only one able to read his handwriting. . . . That was in the pre-typewriter days and when all matter was set by hand instead of linotype. . . . One day Greeley's See THIS SIDE OF SUN, Page 8

## Palm Springs? A Great Place Says Ed Kelly

Throws Away His Cane And Says He'll Be Back In His Own Home Here

Ed Kelly, former mayor of Chicago but still Mayor Kelly to all who know him, is en route to Chicago today but the cane he used when he came to Palm Springs is still here. He threw it away sometime ago.

The brace he wore when he came is going back with him but packed tightly in a suitcase. As a result, Mayor Kelly is sold on Palm Springs. Greatest place ever, he says. He has been going to Florida for years but since he spent the season here and so benefited by the desert that he was able to toss away his cane and pack away the brace—it's Palm Springs from now on.

He is disposing of his Florida properties and planning to buy a home here and become a permanent winter Villager.

Kelly left via the FSP Golden State Wednesday and told Charles McGann, the road's local representative:

"I'll be back early next season. There's no place like Palm Springs."

## Bids Asked for Third Building At High School

Palm Springs high school board of trustees Monday evening authorized start of legal advertising for bids for the new library-home economics-cafeteria building to be constructed in the central area of the extended high school campus west and south of the gymnasium.

Bids for the new structure will be received by the board up to noon Tuesday, June 8, 1948. Harry J. Williams has prepared plans and specifications for the building.

THIS LATEST ADDITION to the plant of Palm Springs High school will house a 10,000-book library with seating space for 75. Adjacent to the library will be a study room built to accommodate 200 students. This room will also be used as a cafeteria lunch room during the noon hour. It will be possible to close this room off from the Cafeteria kitchen and service space completely when it is to be used for study purposes.

The new building also houses a large completely furnished modern cafeteria kitchen and a home economics department embracing a sewing classroom, a cooking laboratory, a faculty dining room, and a woman's lounge.

THE CAFETERIA will have two serving counters which will permit 150 students to be served each 20 minutes the cafeteria is open. Board President Charles J. Burket expects the new building to be ready for use by the beginning of the second semester of the school year 1948-49. That will be about February 1, 1949.

## Great Day

Plans Under Way for Schools' End, May 28

Preparations are under way this week at Palm Springs high and in schools of the Desert District for that big day—the close of the school year. It falls this year on May 28.

At the high school preparations for graduation are already under way. The exercises, as usual, will be held in the open in the patio on the evening of May 28.

At Frances S. Stevens school principals of all the schools in the district got together with Miss Katherine Finchey, superintendent, to start discussion of graduation plans.

Schools will re-open on Sept. 13 for the new year with the prospect that the over-crowding which has featured the past few years will be eliminated mid-way through the term by completion of many new buildings.

## Sales Tax Exceeds All Predictions

First Year of Operation Adds \$114,765.54 to Palm Springs Coffers

City sales tax collections during the first year the law has been in operation surpassed even the most optimistic predictions of sponsors, figures released yesterday revealed.

In the 12-month period since the tax went into effect, \$114,765.54 has been turned into city coffers, Robert M. Peterson, city treasurer, reported.

He said that of the first 12 months accrual \$86,074.16 has been transferred to the capital outlay fund, to be used for public buildings, parks, recreational facilities and street improvement.

THE REMAINDER of the year's sales tax revenue, \$28,691.38 remains in the general fund for city operations.

Recently City Manager William Alworth informed council that the money transferred from sales tax collections remains untouched in the city treasury. It is hoped to keep a large sum on hand, he pointed out, in order to take advantage of state and federal funds the city may be entitled to but which can only be obtained on a dollar-for-dollar matching basis.

"MANY OF THE CITY'S contemplated improvements are of major importance requiring large sums of money," declared Alworth. "The only way these projects can be financed without floating huge bond issues is to accumulate these sums in the treasury."

When the sales tax ordinance went into effect in May, 1947, those who worked for its passage estimated that the take would range between \$60,000 and \$100,000.

The collections for the first 12 months surpassed all of our predictions," said Treasurer Peterson.

## That's That

Army Isn't Considering Re-Activating Air Base

Rumors current along Palm Canyon drive that the Palm Springs Airport was to be reactivated by the U. S. Air Forces were denuded of their "I heard direct from Mr. Big" before council Wednesday.

City Manager William E. Alworth said that these rumors ranging from the installation of a drydock for seagoing submarines to that of a base for training of future moon-voyagers, all to take place at the airport, had filtered into his office.

"Our only means of checking these rumors is through the regional offices of the War Assets Administration," said Alworth. "This federal agency informed me that it has not been asked to stop the process of transferring the airport property to the city, nor has it heard of any plan to re-activate the field for military purposes."

## The Horse Yields

Gas Station To Cover Old Horse Trail

Three major riding clubs in the Village have agreed to the elimination of the riding trail at the northeast corner of Ramon road and Indian avenue, council learned Wednesday night after which it unanimously voted to delete that portion of the Village riding trails.

The action was taken to allow erection of a filling station at that corner.

Two Village women were in the Palm Springs Community hospital suffering minor injuries, resulting from two automobile accidents last night.

Mrs. Louise Aguilera, 1608 San Jacinto, plunged with her automobile down a 45-foot embankment on the Palms to Pines highway.

Mrs. Corinne Murphy, Ramon Trailer Court, was injured when her automobile collided with one driven by Donald Benson.

## First Park System Step Presented

But Proposition Looks Dubious Today Due to Indian Land Litigation

First plan for the creation of a park system as presented by Mrs. William Wright, representing Palm Springs Woman's Club, was received by city council in session Wednesday with apparent approval and turned over to the council's park and recreation committee for study.

Mrs. Wright addressing council insisted that something must be done in the way of recreation, places where visitors can sit down amid green foliage and luxuriant carpets of grass.

"INSTEAD, the hundreds of visitors that come here on weekends," she declared, "are forced to wander up and down Palm Canyon drive until fatigue is clearly written on their faces."

She suggested in behalf of the Palm Springs Woman's Club, that steps be taken to convert the triangle, bounded by Palm Canyon drive, Indian avenue and Ramon road, into the first link of a city-wide park system.

Councilman Ruth Hardy, chairman of the Parks and Recreation Committee, greeted this suggestion with voiced approval.

MAYOR CHARLEY FARRELL immediately ordered the proposal placed in the hands of Mrs. Hardy's committee jointly with council. See PARK SYSTEM, Page 8

## Record

Ohr Pedals His Way Here in 7 Hrs., 6 Mins.

Although he ran into a strong head-wind, Hans Ohr, noted cycling enthusiast, broke all records in his eighth annual bike ride from Beverly Hills, where he has a business establishment, to the Desert Inn Wednesday.

Riding single, accompanied by two of his pupils, also singles, Ohr pedaled the 130 miles in 7 hours, 6 minutes. His best previous time made last year, was 7 hours, 59 minutes.

"And we ran into a head wind from Banning down here," he said.

Ohr was accompanied by Bob Gausman, 20, of West Los Angeles, and Dr. Kenneth McLaren, 42, of Santa Monica.

"The reason we made such good time was that we alternated in pace-making—thus splitting up the job of shoving aside the wind."

Mrs. Ohr, who on six previous bike trips to Palm Springs, has pedaled a tandem with her husband, drove down in the station wagon this time accompanied by Beverly Clark of West Los Angeles.

The bicyclists, who left Beverly Hills at 5 a.m., got here shortly after noon after stops at Riverside and Beaumont. They are guests at the Desert Inn.

## It's Up to the Boss

Poor Employer-Employee Relations Blamed On Former by M & M Speaker Here

Poor industrial relations between employer and employee can be placed at the door of the boss.

So said Charles A. McKeand, industrial relations counselor of the Merchants and Manufacturers association before a gathering of 35 members of the Palm Springs Employer's association at a luncheon meeting held at the Palm Springs Tennis Club Tuesday noon.

IN ESSENCE, the theme of his address was based on the following:

It is a moral obligation of the employer to assume leadership of those working for him.

To recognize that the employee has the same gripe that gripped the worker of many years ago except that today he is better educated, knows more about national and international affairs and laws that may affect him as a working man.

McKEAND SAID opinion polls among wage earners show that they covet most of all, recognition from the boss, under which

## Fast Action on Conversion of Field Club Into Recreation Center Promised by Council

Mayor Farrell Authorizes Study of Plan to Create Parks Commission and City Attorney Starts Preparation of Needed Ordinances

Fast action in conversion of Field Club property into a recreational center was promised by city council in session Wednesday night when Mayor Charley Farrell on receiving the recommendations of the Palm Springs Community association and Recreation committee of city council to study the plan and work toward the organization of a city Park Commissioner's board.

## Clinton in Jail Waiting Assault Case Hearing

Harl Clinton, 22, Negro, was in Riverside county jail awaiting preliminary hearing before Judge Eugene E. Theriault May 14 on two counts of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to commit murder.

The charges are based on the slashing of Officer Dale Thompson's upper right arm to the bone and the asserted stabbing of El-norse Grace, 33, Negro, during a brawl between Grace and Clinton at the Pioneer Club Sunday night.

OFFICER THOMPSON was wounded when he grabbed Grace from behind in an effort to stop the fight between the two men.

The complaints were signed by Officer Jim Maynard who was assisting Thompson at the time. Grace was brought before Judge Theriault Tuesday night on a charge of disturbing the peace to which he pleaded guilty. He was sentenced to 30 days in the county jail with one day suspended. The charge against Grace arose from his brawl with Clinton and was also signed by Officer Maynard.

BAIL OF \$15,000 was set by the court in the case of Clinton. He was taken to jail Wednesday night pending his appearance in court here May 14.

Police, who declare that Clinton signed a confession by declaring that "he thinks" he slashed Officer Thompson, said the fight between the two arose over the attentions of a girl friend who a few moments before had been drinking beer with them.

Clinton is reported to have told police that Grace provoked the fight by clipping him on the jaw rather unexpectedly. The fight then sprang into the street at which time Clinton is said to have admitted drawing a pocket knife and to have slashed at Grace.

THIS BLOW, according to Officer Maynard, might very well have been a fatal thrust had not the chest bone deflected the knife blade. Before a second knife blow was delivered, according to Maynard, Clinton fled.

See CLINTON, Page 4

## New Action By Congress Spurs Steps

Attorney Newcomer Instruction to Open Negotiations at Once

Council Wednesday night acted with speed when the question of acquisition of desired portions of Torney General Hospital property was revived and instructed Lyle Newcomer, specially retained legal counselor, to open negotiations at once for an acceptable deal for the land.

Meeting with Newcomer and President Frank Bennett of the Community Hospital association after regular council business was concluded, council urged the attorney to open negotiations immediately for eight acres of land right behind the old El Mirador Hotel; approximately 22 acres which originally served as the prisoners of war camp and a portion or all of the land fronting on Palm Canyon drive.

THE COUNSELOR was instructed to inform War Assets Administration that the city would withdraw its application for the purchase of the El Mirador hotel property, if those portions of land and buildings it desired was forthcoming at the discount provided in recent legislation passed by current Congress.

Legislation passed in the House of Representatives Tuesday and now awaiting signature by the president, provides a 50 per cent discount to municipalities seeking surplus properties for parks, recreational centers or scientific purposes.

IT IS UNDER these new federal provisions that Palm Springs is seeking approximately 30 acres of land now comprising a portion of Torney General Hospital.

The action to bring the more than two year-old negotiations between the city and the War Assets Administration to a close was prompted by the fear that just as soon as the President signs the recently-enacted bill, Palm Springs Community Hospital may be forced to cease operations until a hospital building is erected sometime in the future or when and if bonds are voted for the creation of a hospital district building.

Both Bennett and Newcomer urged speed upon council which quickly reacted favorably to the plea.

THE LAND council is seeking will be used for parks and recreational purposes. Buildings situated on the eight acre plot of ground behind the original El Mirador hotel would be used to house the hospital, nurses' quarters and other departments.

Bennett reported that letters went out this week to members of the Hospital association citing that the \$125,000 to \$150,000 held in cash by the association could be used in converting former Torney Hospital structures into

See TORNEY HOSPITAL, Pg. 5

## The PUBLISHER'S Corner

SUMMER'S HERE! Rotarians held their last meeting at the Desert Inn Wednesday, congratulated out-going President William Alworth and their pianist, Lois Lux, and said good-bye to the pointed-back chairs. The faithful will gather from now on at Bombay—sans songs, sans speeches—not even a prayer. . . . The Lions take off their fur coats and tame down a little, too, as Doc Purcell cracks the whip. . . . Ray Whitaker and orchestra have played their last "Rasph" at the Tennis Club although there'll be dinner dances for two more Saturday nights, beginning tomorrow. . . . Columnist Brent who writes "Man About Town" in the L. A. Herald-Express is resting up in the city after a strenuous weekend in the Village. He'll be back tomorrow for he's promised to spend his May weekends on the desert—which delights the Chamber of Commerce no end. . . . Patios and pools are as popular at midnight as they used to be at noon while tea, coffee and bourbon are being replaced with cokes, beer and Tom Collins. . . . The natives are just about to take the place over and enjoy a little peace and quiet—but not over the weekends. More Villagers talk about staying "late" this year and the usual summer building programs will soon be under way. . . . The Desert Sun keeps right on going just like Bill Nash's telephones, Fred Ingram's interest and Francis Crocker's electric meters. We'll be with you every Tuesday and Friday. . . . Then too, there being fewer people in town we can all get along a little better.

HARRY HARPER SAYS that we should inform our readers that Desert Circus Week WILL be held earlier next year—since the event is "anchored" to Easter. . . . and that there's a possibility admission to the "Insanities" WILL be lower. Had we been so informed, we would have been glad to pass the good word along to our readers. We didn't know that Desert Circus week was anchored to anything. It's clear to us now—that's just what happened this year. It's a matter that should be open to argument but there's no need crossing our bridges until we come to them—1950 seems a long way off. . . . If the show can be held in a larger place at lower prices, that will please a lot of people too.



## Portrait of the Week

By BERNARD OF HOLLYWOOD



From New Jersey is Barbara Diewgan . . . who decided to come to Palm Springs for a reason that is mentioned every now and then . . . the sunshine. Barbara will return to New Jersey this summer to try the Eastern brand of old sol's product and then plans to return to Palm Springs in the fall . . . for more of the same. Anybody want to buy an almost new pair of galoshes and umbrella? . . . Barbara sees no future in keeping them.

Annual Status  
For Hobo Ball

The Hobo Costume ball was such a success Mrs. Walter McManus has announced that the event may become an annual affair. The proceeds from the occasion netted \$3,200 for the St. Theresa Catholic parish.

The many friends of Mrs. McManus, Mrs. Harold Murphy, and Mrs. Mace Gazda who attended their lovely cocktails party on the lawn of the Austin McManus' home before the ball, will hope that, also, will become an annual event.

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Chuck Coffman  
Celebrates

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Coffman entertained a group of children and their parents upon the second birthday of their son, Chuck, Wednesday evening. The children played in the pool while the parents sipped cocktails, and all assembled in the garden later for a barbecue dinner. The patio was gaily decorated in bright colors to carry out the theme of Cinco de Mio, the Mexican holiday.

Being wished happy birthday also was Carol Osherenko who was two years old the preceding day. Among the guests were Carol's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Osherenko of Los Angeles; Miss Lynne Coffman, daughter of the Earl Coffmans; Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Newcomer and daughter, Jan; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kieley and daughters, Kitty and Colleen; Polly Isenagie and son, Jeffrey; Mr. and Mrs. Herb Sampson and children, Eric and Ruth Marie.

Miss Jones Hosts  
Cocktail Party

The patio of the Hotel del Marcos was the scene of a cocktail party and buffet supper Sunday evening given by Miss Ruth Jones for a group of her friends and guests of the hotel.

Among those gathering around the pool for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Julian Olenick, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Fischman, Mrs. Dorothy Beal Freedman, Mr. Gabe Hoffenberg, Miss Mildred Marcus, Miss Alice Young, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Greenfield, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Marcus, and Morrie Avery.

Attend the Amvets Spring Fiesta Saturday Eve at the Colonial House.

## Social ACTIVITIES

By NANCY DALE JAYNES

Allied Arts  
Group Plans  
Active Season

Mrs. Sarup Is Named  
President and Program  
For New Year Outlined

Election of officers of the newly-formed Allied Arts Association of Palm Springs, and an outline of the group's plans for the creation of an active art center were announced this week by the board of directors. Articles of incorporation were prepared by Saul Ruskin, legal advisor and one of the members of the board.

The organization was formed early this year under the direction of Jeanne Coutts, daughter of the well-known artist, the late Gordon Coutts who led a similar group many years ago when Palm Springs was a colony of artists and writers. Newly elected officers of the present group are Mrs. Barbara Sarup, president; Era Franklin, vice-president; Dorothy Freitag, secretary, and Geri Gerhart, treasurer.

Primary purpose of the association, which includes 36 charter members, is to create an art center in Palm Springs and to provide a location for forums, lectures in the fields of fine arts, concerts, and exhibits of the works of members or of other artists invited to display their work. A search for a suitable building for the group is now under way.

It is hoped that the scope of the organization can include promotion of all the fine arts for Palm Springs and the surrounding areas. Associate members and patrons of the arts will be admitted to the group, and anyone interested in the organization and its aims is invited to join.

The board of directors will meet Tuesday, May 11, and the next general meeting will be held May 27, at 8:00 p. m., in the studio of Jeanne Coutts.

Members of the board of directors, in addition to the officers, are Earl Cordrey, Jeanne Coutts, John Halstead, Fritioff Persson, Roy Randolph, Saul Ruskin, Albert Frey, and Firne Webb.

Gladys McClure at  
State PEO Session

Gladys McClure of Palm Springs will represent Chapter KV of Palm Springs, PEO, at the 45th annual convention of the California state chapter at Santa Barbara this weekend. The convention started yesterday and will continue until tomorrow.

Hostess chapters are from Santa Barbara, Ventura, San Fernando and Fillmore. Four hundred delegates began arriving yesterday for the sessions.

Mrs. Ethel Gardner of Ventura is general chairman of the convention.

Cahuilla Chapter,  
DAR, in Session

Cahuilla chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution met yesterday at the home of Mrs. Saul Ruskin, 180 Prescott drive.

Lloyd Mason Smith, director of the Palm Springs Museum, was the speaker, discussing desert lore.

Tomorrow night—The Amvets Spring Fiesta—Colonial House.

## JAYNO TELLS ALL

Salts of the Salton Sea are we,  
After our day on the Salton Sea,  
We didn't get drunk, but we had a spree,  
We salts of the Salton Sea.  
(Or how salty can you get?)

The day was of course Monday when Guy Lombardo tried for the world's record in speed-boating and fell short by seven m.p.h. (Note of interest: of the 44 world's records set in speedboat racing, approximately 22 were made on the fast water of this sea.)

Others assembling at the Desert Beach Yacht Club were Mr. Lombardo's entire family who are vacationing with him at the Palm Springs Pueblo . . . Jimmy Van Heusen, Frank Sinatra, and Phil Reagan, who flew down from the Village . . . George Hearst of the San Francisco Examiner snapping photos as was our own Johnny Pagoria. . . After hearing about the water-skiing, aquaplaning, sailing, and speedboating activities already taking place there, we became enthusiastic about the possibilities of there someday being a resort development there. We would certainly drive an hour for such water sports! (advertisement: young women with car seeking companionship of man with boat. Include particulars of boat. Write box 100, Desert Sun).

The reception celebrating the entry into service of the S. S. President Wilson by the American President Lines attracted several Villagers to the San Pedro docks Monday evening. Admiring the sleek new ship were the Reed Hubbells, the Harold Murphys, the James Geggies, and the Charles McGannns. . .

Roy Randolph is leaving this week for Mexico City after which he will tour the northwest with a small orchestra. . . The Sol Lessers will be in Beverly Hills Saturday to attend the wedding of Joan Bennett's daughter, Diane Wanger, but will be back soon afterwards to stay through May and supervise the construction of their swimming pool. . . The pledge class of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity of USC took their annual ditch-days, Monday and Tuesday, at the Montecito. . .

Dora Morrison invited in a small group of friends for a dinner most excellent on Wednesday evening. What more could you ask for than George Diamond's

Lions Install  
Dr. Purcell at  
Colorful Rites

With District Governor Frank Shufelt presiding and with members of the club, their ladies and their guests looking on, Dr. Frank Purcell was installed president of the Palm Springs Lions club last night in a colorful Ladies' Night dinner-dance at the Desert Inn.

The tennis courts were converted into an outdoor ball room surrounded by the tables and beautifully decorated for the occasion. Music for the dancing and entertainment of the throng was under direction of Gene and Gwen Bari of the Desert Inn.

High tribute was paid Ray M. Sorum, retiring president, by the speakers.

Installed with Dr. Purcell were first vice-president, John Connell; second vice-president, Hutch Moseley; third vice-president, Leo Baker; secretary, Homer Fern; treasurer, Charles McGann; tail twister, Tommy Kieley; lion

Mrs. Brown Hostess  
At Champagne Party

Mrs. Ona Brown was hostess at a champagne party at her Palo Verde home Monday evening honoring Mrs. Anita Haskell Jones and her house guests.

Mrs. Brown is preparing to fly to New York the end of the month, after "staying through May", to spend the summer months.

Mrs. Jones Hostess  
At Racquet Club

Mrs. Anita Haskell Jones entertained at luncheon at the Racquet club Saturday.

Her guests were her daughter, Givano Jones, Clarence Harrington, and Mrs. Ona Brown.

tamer, Wally Waring; directors, Paul Summers, Charles LaRue, Homer Jenkins, George Preble.

Scores of door prizes free at the Amvets Spring Fiesta tomorrow Eve.

Bon Voyage  
Breakfast for  
Village Sextet

Summer Vacations at  
Sea Prompt Affair  
Given at Desert Inn

Mrs. Faye Robinson and Mrs. Holly Visel were co-hostesses at a breakfast at the Desert Inn Wednesday morning given in honor of Mrs. Merrill Crockett, Mrs. Gordon Feeings, and Mrs. Faye Brainerd.

Since Mr. and Mrs. Crockett and Mr. and Mrs. Feeings are sailing for Honolulu on the ninth of May, and Mr. and Mrs. Brainerd are voyaging to Alaska during the summer, the table was beautifully attracted with appropriate decor. The centerpiece was a ship filled with colorful leis and surrounded by various forms of marine life. The placecards were placed in miniature boats floated on a cork in the water glasses.

The Honolulu vacation will be a honeymoon trip for Mr. and Mrs. Feeings, who were married here in the late fall, while Mr. and Mrs. Crockett will celebrate their 23rd wedding anniversary on board ship.

steaks barbecued by Sweet George himself? Enjoying every morsel were Janis Cauthorn, Dorothy Gray, Rose Mints, Maurice Willows, and John Joyce.

Don't forget to write in the Amvets' Spring Fiesta on your social calendar for Saturday night. The gala affair will be graciously hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Davis in the beautiful patio of the Colonial House.

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## High School Smoke Signal

### Indians Win Over Beaumont High In League Game, 5-3

The Palm Springs Indians won their first league baseball game last Friday when they beat Beaumont, 5 to 3, at Beaumont high school.

The Indians blasted Beaumont's pitcher, Hargraves, for fifteen hits while the Beaumont team hit safely seven times off the hurling of Indian, Ray Roberts.

John Thomas, freshman right fielder, who has maintained a better than .500 batting average, hit safely three times in four trips to the plate, one of them a long double between the fielders. Although pitchers do not usually hit, Ray Roberts is an exception, blasting out three hits in five trips to the plate, one of them a triple over the left fielder's head. First baseman Riff also hit a long triple to left field, driving in two Indian tallies. Roberts struck out 13 men, making a total of 52 strikeouts for four league games. Beaumont's Hargraves struck out eleven Indian batters.

The Indians play their last league game with Elsinore this afternoon at the Field Club in Palm Springs and all baseball fans are invited to come and watch the game.

Palm Springs Box Score:

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Valsabel, 3b	1	0	0	0	1
Stone, cf	4	1	0	1	0
J. Black, cf	1	0	0	0	0
Soto, c	5	0	1	13	0
Roberts, p	5	3	0	0	13
Laurier, 2b	4	2	0	0	2
Gates, 2b	2	0	0	0	1
Miller, lf	2	1	0	0	0
Norris, lf	2	1	1	1	0
Weiss, lb	2	0	0	7	0
Riff, lb	3	1	0	3	0
Henson, ss	2	0	0	0	1
C. Black, ss	1	1	1	0	1
Dunkin, 2b	1	0	0	0	0

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### High School Girls Charter Members Of Village Bethel

Palm Springs Bethel under dispensation of the International Order of Jobs' Daughters was instituted, and officers were installed by members of the Grand Guardian Council of California Sunday night May 2, at Coachella. The Misses Dorothy Winterton, Elanne Purnell, and Connie Nash were installed as the first honored queen, and senior and junior princesses respectively.

The Bethel is now holding bi-monthly meetings each first and third Monday at the Youth Center. There will be one meeting in June for initiation of candidates. Girls from 14 to 20 are eligible to the organization if they have a Mason relative.

Charter members are: Dorothy Winterton, Elanne Purnell, Connie Nash, Jackie Kingsbury, Anna Mae Houghton, Betty Ann Lillie, Pat Fowler, Joyce Skuse, Eloise Hiatt, Alberta Martin, Adelle Woods, Nancy Harris, Sonia Hulme, Doreen Ehler, Connie Tilghman, Ann and Sue Oliver, Erma Taucher, Frances Nash and Mariete Watlet.

The guardians of the Bethel are Mrs. Elmo Purnell, guardian; Mrs. Harry Houghton, secretary; Mrs. Helen Winterton, treasurer; and Mrs. Lois Lux, musician.

### Juniors Sponsor Spring Dance In Quadrangle

The juniors are sponsoring a Spring Picnic Dance on May 14, in the high school quadrangle at 7:00 p.m.

Prices are \$1.00 a couple and .75 stag and it's "girl ask boy." Each girl is to pack a picnic lunch for herself and her date. Dancing will be outside to the music of the high school band. Refreshments will be sold.

Stone, Roberts, Riff 2, 2b hits: Thomas, Miller, 3b hits: Roberts, Riff. Strike outs: Roberts, 13; Hargraves, 11.

### GAA Banquet At Desert Inn Enjoyable Affair

The G.A.A. members had their annual G.A.A. banquet last Wednesday, May 5, at the Desert Inn at 7:30 p.m.

The banquet began with the initiation and installation of new officers, then the awards for baseball were presented.

A gold cup was awarded to the outstanding senior girl who has participated in athletics for four years.

The banquet closed with a solo by Mary Louise Klug. The underclassmen then sang "Aloha."

The banquet was held in the beautiful Sombroso room of the Desert Inn and the theme was marine.

### Swing Band

#### High School Group Puts On Show at Coachella

P.S.H.S. will present its swing band and minstrel show to the Coachella Valley H.S. assembly on Monday, May 10, at 10:45 a.m. In exchange, Coachella H.S. will be here to entertain local students with an assembly on Wednesday, May 19, at 10:20 a.m.

### Nancy Nye Named GAA President at Annual Election

The G.A.A. members of Palm Springs high school elected their new board members on Monday, May 3.

The results of the election are as follows: President, Nancy Nye; vice president, Mabel Potter; corresponding secretary, Donella Knupp; corresponding secretary, Mary Louise Klug; and treasurer, Doreen Elbert.

Also a different girl was selected to be head of each different sport. Corrine Crossley was elected as head of baseball, Sandra Cordrey for basketball, Jackie Kingsbury for hockey, and Dixie Smith for speedball.

These girls will go into their offices for the coming year.

Although a slave-holding state North Carolina did not secede from the United States until after Lincoln's first call for troops.

Snow acts as an insulator—preventing the warmth of the earth from escaping.

Flash! AMVET Spring Fiesta Saturday night, Colonial House. Don't miss it.

### Editorial

#### FAREWELL 1948 SCHOOL YEAR

As the school year draws to a close, the emotions of different classes are mingled. The freshmen are joyous with the kind of relief a desert traveler feels on seeing an oasis ahead, or the mountain climber feels on reaching the top. Each freshie is stumbling with a dizzy giddiness to reach the end of a year full of tortures for them with their inadequate newness and humble shyness. Next year they will know the ropes better and can make the new freshmen as uncomfortable as possible.

The sophomores, on the other hand, have discovered they didn't know the ropes as well as they thought they did and are looking forward to their Junior year with eagerness. They are preparing for their grand entrance to the wonderful Junior class. It's a sensation of suppressed excitement such as one feels just before stepping on a roller-coaster.

The Juniors are walking around feeling pretty proud of themselves; next year they will be mighty Seniors with the full load on their shoulders. Yet, deep in their hearts is a little twang of sorrow to see a year full of so many gay activities, mad dances, and Prom planning drawing to a close.

The seniors D-day is in the near

PALM SPRINGS, CALIF.  
Friday, May 7, 1948

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### Redlands U. Host To High Schools At Beaumont Rally

Alumni and faculty from Redlands college held a banquet last Thursday, April 29, at the Fire-side Inn in Beaumont for student representatives from county high schools.

Representatives from Banning and Palm Springs, who were the only students present, were introduced to each other and to the various alumni.

The boys were told of the advantages of going to a smaller college such as Redlands as to participating in athletic and other suitable professions.

The Redlands football team, who visited Hawaii last season, showed motion pictures of their game with Hawaii college.

The boys were very happy to go to the banquet to hear the various speeches, not to mention eating a very good chicken dinner.

Lillian Russell, noted American actress, was born at Clinton, Iowa, in 1862. She died in 1922.

Fun, food, entertainment—The Colonial House Saturday night at the AMVETS' Spring Fiesta.

### Happy Birthday

Virginia Coons	May 8, 1931
Helen Louis	May 11, 1933
Bonnie Taylor	May 11, 1929
Mort Gilbert	May 13, 1931
Judy Lorenz	May 13, 1931
Alice Stellmack	May 13, 1932
Maurice Taylor	May 14, 1932
Janice Gates	May 17, 1932
Dora Martinez	May 17, 1931
Bill Patterson	May 17, 1933
Barbara Walker	May 17, 1930
Louis Peire	May 18, 1929

# SAFEWAY

# PRODUCE!

The springtime produce parade has begun at Safeway... asparagus, sweet peas, new potatoes, crisp carrots and other items are now arriving from the finest growing areas in the West. Watch your meals take on new color, new zest, when you include generous servings of these garden-fresh vegetables from... Safeway.

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1/4-lb. box **27c** 1-lb. box **1.03**

### BREAKFAST FOODS

40% Bran Flakes 10-oz. box **16c**  
Kellogg's brand.

Raisin Bran Kellogg's 10-oz. box **16c**  
Kellogg's All Bran 16-oz. box **22c**  
(10-oz. box, 15c)

Rice Krispies Kellogg's 5 1/2-oz. box **13c**  
Corn Flakes Kellogg's 13-oz. box **18c**  
(8-ounce size, 2 packages 27c)

Kellogg's Pep 8-oz. box **14c**

### CANNED FISH & MEATS

Light Meat Tuna 7-oz. can **41c**  
Chicken of the Sea, Red Label, Solid Pack.

Lunch Tongue Libby's 6-oz. can **29c**  
Corned Beef Libby's or Armour's Star 12-oz. can **45c**

### FOR CANNING

Squat Jelly Glasses Lids dozen **49c**  
Paraffin For Sealing Jelly 1-lb. pkg. **17c**  
Certo Fruit Pectin 8-oz. bottle **21c**

### SAFEWAY SAVINGS

Chocolate Syrup Hershey brand. 16-oz. can **14c**

Soup Campbell's New Cream of Chicken 10 1/2-oz. can **15c**

Cherub Milk 2 tall cans **25c**  
Evaporated milk. (Small cans, 3 for 19c)

Jell-well Gelatin Dessert 3-oz. pkg. **6c**  
Strawberry, Raspberry, Lime, Lemon, Orange, Cherry.

Peach Preserves Starr 2 1-lb. jars **35c**

Margarine Sunnybank lb. **39c**

Semi Sweet Morsels Nestle's brand. Use in cookies. 6-oz. pkg. **22c**

Pie Crust Family Kitchen 10-oz. can **19c**

Large Olives Ebony, Ripe 9-oz. can **23c**

Ripe Olives Ebony Medium 9-oz. can **20c**

Cigarettes carton of 10 packs **1.39**  
Lucky Strike, Camel, Chesterfield, Old Gold, Philip Morris, Herbert Tareyton (cork tip), Pall Mall, Kool, and Raleigh (cork tip).

Accompany Jean Hersey to GUATEMALA

Be sure to read...

### "HOLIDAY HALF WAY TO HEAVEN"

A fascinating feature article on an enchanting country in MAY ISSUE

Family Circle 5c

### HEAD LETTUCE lb. **11c**

### ASPARAGUS FANCY LOCAL lb. **17c**

### TOMATOES FINE FOR SLICING 14-oz. pkg. **27c**

### CRISP CARROTS TOPS REMOVED lb. **12c**

### JUICY LEMONS lb. **12c**

### Fresh Celery lb. **6c** Crisp, Utah type.

### Salad Vegetables Assorted, In Cello, pkg. **14c**

### Artichokes Northern, Delicious, lb. **8c**

### Crisp Radishes Tender, fresh, flavorful, lb. **7c**

### Sugar Belle Fancy Sweet 20-oz. cans. **17c** Note extra value—full 20-oz. can.

### Del Monte Early Garden 17-oz. can **17c**

### Green Giant Fancy Big, Sweet 17-oz. can **18c**

### Libby's Garden Sweet 17-oz. can **18c**

### Highway Sweet 20-oz. can **13c**

### Gardenside Standard, 5-Sieve 20-oz. can **10c**

### MAYONNAISE

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quart jar **83c**  
half pint jar **26c** pint jar **46c**

Kraft Mayonnaise pint jar **48c**  
(8-ounce jar, 27c)

Mayonnaise Piedmont pint jar **43c**  
Miracle Whip quart jar **65c**  
(Pint jar, 38c; half pint jar, 22c)

Salad Dressing Duchess pint jar **36c**  
Salad Dressing Cascade quart jar **59c**  
(Pint jar, 32c)

Salad Dressing Durkee's 10-oz. can **32c**  
Sandwich Spread Lunch Box pint **36c**  
(8-ounce jar, 21c)

Sandwich Spread Miracle or Kraft pint **38c**  
French Dressing Miral 8-oz. can **21c**  
French Dressing Miam 8-oz. can **33c**

### DAIRY FOODS

Breeze Cheese Food 15-lb. pkg. **32c**

Velveeta Kraft Cheese Food 15-lb. pkg. **33c**

Cottage Cheese Blossom 1-lb. can **25c**  
Creamed or Farmer type.

Cottage Cheese Kraft 16-oz. cup **27c**  
Creamed or Country.  
(8-oz. cup, 15c)

### CHECK THESE VALUES

### Long Spaghetti 2-lb. pkg. **40c**

Gold Medal (1-lb. 22c)

### Egg Noodles 1-lb. pkg. **32c**

Gold Medal, Wide or medium.

### Shortening 3-lb. can **1.08**

Royal Satin (1-lb. 38c)

### Shortening 3-lb. can **1.17**

Spry (1-lb. 41c)

### Toilet Soap 3 bars **25c**

White King.

### Bath Soap 15c

Sweetheart Luxury.

### Toilet Soap 10c

Palmolive brand.

### Ivory Soap 2 4-oz. bars **15c**

Personal size.

### Super Suds 23-oz. box **36c**

Concentrated (Blue)

### Su-Purb Soap 24-oz. box **34c**

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## PORK ROAST

Picnic Style Shoulder Full picnic end of N. Y. shoulder. Whole or full shank half. No slices removed. **1b. 39c**

### PORK LOIN 1b. **57c**

RIB END CUT FOR ROASTING

### BEEF ROAST 1b. **49c**

SEVEN BONE CHUCK TOP GRADES OF BEEF

### PIECE BACON 1b. **59c**

WHOLE SLAB OR FULL HALF

### BOILING BEEF 1b. **19c**

PLATE MEAT

### Salt Pork 1b. **39c**

Dry salt sides.

### Lamb Shoulder 1b. **59c**

5-rib roast. Shank & neck off.

### Lamb Breast 1b. **21c**

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### Cod Fillets 1b. **43c**

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## Teen-Target Re-Opened

Operations Under Way Full Blast Again  
At Bellardo Road Center for Youth

Closed since Feb. 15 while reorganization plans were discussed and a new director was engaged, the Teen Target on Bellardo road re-opened Tuesday night with a full program and plans for an active summer.

The Teen Target, nee Youth Center, will be open from Tuesdays through Fridays from 4 in the afternoon until 10 p.m. and on Saturdays until midnight.

AT A MEETING Tuesday night with members of the Teen Target, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Jack-

son, directors, and members of the Youth Center committee of the Welfare and Friendly Aid association, sponsors of the center, preliminary plans for its operation were discussed.

Tonight another meeting at the Teen Target will settle final details and the full program will be established. Mrs. Harold Hicks is chairman of the Aid association Youth Center committee.

THE FIVE-DAY schedule was agreed upon at Tuesday's meeting and will be adhered to for the next few weeks at least.

Two church groups use the center on Sundays for meetings and on alternate Mondays a girls' group holds meetings there. The two-day a week closure also was decided upon for clean-ups and preparation for the next week's activities.

Activity was resumed full blast at the Teen Target from the moment the doors opened Tuesday.

It's the Colonial House Saturday night when the Annual Spring Fiesta of the AMVETS takes place.

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## At Long Last

Audience at Council  
Sessions Able to Hear

Spectators at the council chamber Wednesday night who brought hearing aids along so that they could better hear council table chatter were amazed to see staring at them from the rostrum, the cavernous depth of a giant loud speaker.

With a pleased expression they looked further and saw City Treasurer Robert Peterson acting as "sound engineer."

It was like a dream come true for those regulars at council meetings. It was even possible to hear the modulated voice of City Clerk Louise McCann as she read exciting communications to the council and long legal documents.

After the meeting however, it was learned that the public address system was in use that night only. Inquiry revealed that the up and coming new council plans to purchase a loud speaking system just as soon as it is definitely decided where it is to meet after June 1.

## Field Club

appears no doubt that many more uses will be found for it.

"NOT ONLY will it provide a setting for rodeos, horse shows and riding exhibitions of all kinds, but it is needed for the annual Palm Springs Dog Show, outdoor shows of many sorts, conventions and last, but certainly not least, probably as the theater for the annual Village Insanities for the Desert Circus. Thus its crucial value to the community can be readily recognized by all."

The committee's report warmly praised the assistance given by City Manager W. E. Alworth, City Engineer George Minter and Planning Engineer Charles Woodman.

S.F.S.N.—Spring Fiesta, Saturday night.

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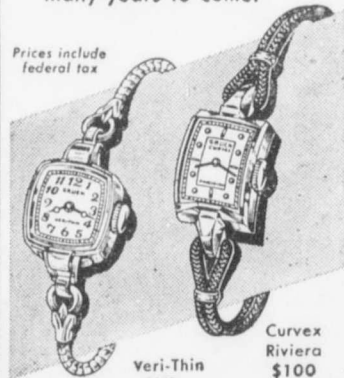


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"High cost of having a good time for Villagers come this Saturday night will fade into the limbo of forgotten financial hazards."

This is the declaration of the committee in charge of staging the American Veterans of World War II Spring Fiesta in the inner patio of the Colonial House tomorrow at 7:30 p.m.

"The entire scheme of things in staging the event," it was declared, "is to keep price of admission to the grounds at \$1 which entitles the holder of a ducat to participate in the dancing, enjoy the entertainment and even maybe acquire a lot."

The main award of the evening will be a three-quarter estate homesite at Rancho Mirage, worth, it is reported, \$1750.

A four-piece band will furnish the music for the dancing. Folk singing and old fashioned dances will be part of the night's bill of entertainment.

Refreshments at the snack bars will be held down to near pre-war levels in prices while the best in thirst quenching stocks will be held at the narrowest margin for the Amvet post.

All of the proceeds derived from the event will be used by the sponsoring organization in welfare work among veterans and if possible the financing of a hospital bed all the year around at the Palm Springs Community Hospital.

Council to Get Report  
At Meeting May 19

On recommendation of City Planning Commission, council Wednesday ruled home owners in zones R-1 and R-1A will be the only persons allowed to display a "for sale" sign on their property. This sign shall not be more than one-foot square in dimensions.

properly compensate loyal and earnest employees."

McKEAND SAID that discourteous employees meeting the winter tourist at front counters costs this community thousands of dollars yearly. He added that Palm Springs has grown to a point where it has become an economic factor of major importance in southern California.

"The operator of the smallest hotel or restaurant can through mishandling of his employees do irreparable harm to the winter business of this town," said McKeand. "It is not high prices that will keep people from returning here but bad public relations displayed by employees. The owner of a business can rectify this by properly compensating good workers."

M. A. Charleston, president of the Palm Springs Employer's association presided at the luncheon meeting and introduced the speaker. His presence in Palm Springs was arranged by Freeman Fowler, manager of the association.

From Page One—MORE ABOUT

## Clinton

ing to the asserted statement by Clinton, Officer Thompson grabbed Grace from behind. At the same moment the knife was descending again and struck the officer's arm.

Officer Maynard who had taken hold of Clinton immediately after the second knife blow, then noticed that Thompson was bleeding profusely. He said that he released Clinton and applied a tourniquet on Thompson's arm. At the same time he ordered both Grace and his opponent to report to the police station while he took Thompson to the hospital. Grace surrendered as ordered.

"After I saw what I had done," Clinton is reported to have told police, "I became frightened, and ran away, dropping the knife."

IN RECOUNTING his whereabouts while police and sheriffs searched the desert area for him Clinton is reported to have said:

"I slept all night near the cemetery on the Reservation. Next day I got thirsty and made it across the desert to Cathedral City for some water. Later that evening on my way back to Palm Springs my mother and father found me walking along the road and picked me up. They took me to the police station."

Clinton was surrendered by his parents at approximately 10 p.m. Monday, 24 hours after the stabbing incident.

Overactivity of the thyroid gland is one of the causes of heart trouble.

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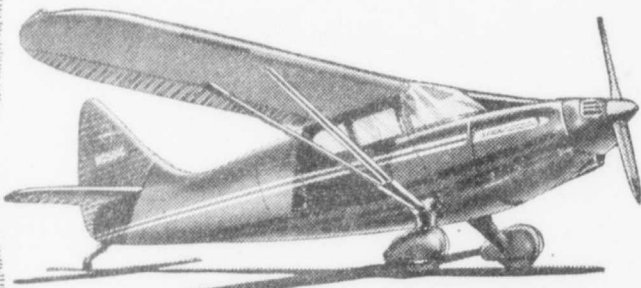
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80.00	6.20	4.10	2.10	109.20
90.00	8.00	5.60	2.40	124.80
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## Buy Cleaners

Art Bailey Announces  
Idyllwild Acquisition

Art Bailey, owner of the Palm Springs Desert Hand Laundry, announced yesterday the purchase of the Idyllwild Cleaners at Idyllwild.

He said that the establishment

will be under the management of Donald Piper, former manager of the Desert Retreat and that three-day delivery service on cleaning and laundry will be in force. An agency of Bailey's new mountain business has also been established at Fern Valley. Operation of the laundry in Palm Springs will continue throughout the summer months, Bailey announced.



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COLUMBIA NETWORK

### FRIDAY EVENING HIGHLIGHTS

6:00—Morgan-Ameche  
Show  
6:30—Ozzie and Harriet  
7:00—Everybody Wins  
7:30—Spotlight Revue  
8:00—Lowell Thomas  
News  
8:15—Jack Smith Show  
8:30—Danny Thomas  
Show  
8:55—Frank Goss News  
9:00—Baby Snooks  
9:30—Beulah  
9:45—Night Editor  
10:00—Chet Huntley  
News  
10:15—Say it with Poetry  
10:30—Music for Party  
12:00—Art Laboe News

### SATURDAY

7:00—Morning Head-  
lines  
7:30—Sundialers Club  
7:30—Bob Garred News  
7:45—Marine Band  
8:00—Warren Sweeney  
News  
8:05—Let's Pretend  
8:30—Junior Miss  
9:00—Theatre of Today  
9:00—Stars over Holly-  
wood  
10:00—Grand Central  
Station  
10:30—County Fair  
11:00—Mary Lee Taylor  
11:30—Give and Take  
12:00—On the Solid Side  
12:30—Dick Joy News  
12:45—Let's Go Western  
12:56—Wall St. News  
1:15—Be Kind to Ani-  
mals  
1:15—TBA  
1:30—Country Journal

### 2:00—Dixie Handicap

2:15—Joey Kerns Orch.  
2:30—Saturday at the  
Chase  
3:00—Cross Sec. USA  
3:30—Red Barber Spts  
3:45—L. Lesueur News  
4:00—Saturday Score-  
board  
5:00—Church of the  
Desert  
5:15—Deep Purple Time  
5:25—Song of the Day  
5:30—C. Collingwood  
5:45—Bob Garred News  
5:55—Wallace Sterling  
News  
6:00—Roland Valle  
Sports  
6:15—Music by Martin  
6:30—The Padded Cell  
7:00—Saturday Night  
Serenade  
7:30—It Pays to be Ig-  
norant  
8:00—It's a Great Life  
8:30—Find that Clue  
8:55—Frank Goss News  
9:00—Abe Burrows Show  
9:15—Hoagy Carmich-  
ael Sings  
9:30—Vaughn Monroe  
Show  
10:00—Chet Huntley  
News  
10:15—American Legion  
Dance  
10:30—Music for Party  
12:00—Art Laboe News

### SUNDAY

8:00—W. Sweeney, news  
8:05—Howard K. Smith  
8:15—As Others See Us  
8:30—S. L. Tabernacle  
9:00—Here's to Vets.  
9:15—Christian Science

S.F.S.N—Spring Fiesta, Satur-  
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## Dr. N. G. Tanen

Winter Resident Dies  
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Dr. Ned G. Tanen, 1067 Tache-  
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while he and his wife were visit-  
ing Dr. Tanen's sister at La Can-  
ada last weekend.

Masonic funeral rites were held  
with burial in Hollywood.

Dr. Tanen was past commander  
of the Antelope Valley American  
Legion post. He came here last  
October for his health and was  
apparently feeling fine when he  
started his week-end trip.

He is survived by his wife,  
Mrs. Beatrice Tanen, two sons,  
Ted, a student at UCLA and Ned,  
Jr., in the schools here, his moth-  
er and two sisters.

Nearly 9,000,000 persons have  
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Pinney, Ralph LaCoe and the  
Harney Construction company of  
San Francisco, were arguing a  
motion in Washington, D. C., fed-  
eral court to establish themselves  
as former owners of the El Mi-  
rador Hotel.

A decision in this matter will  
be forthcoming within the next  
two weeks, it is believed. If the  
plaintiffs lose their motion, New-  
comer said, they plan to take the  
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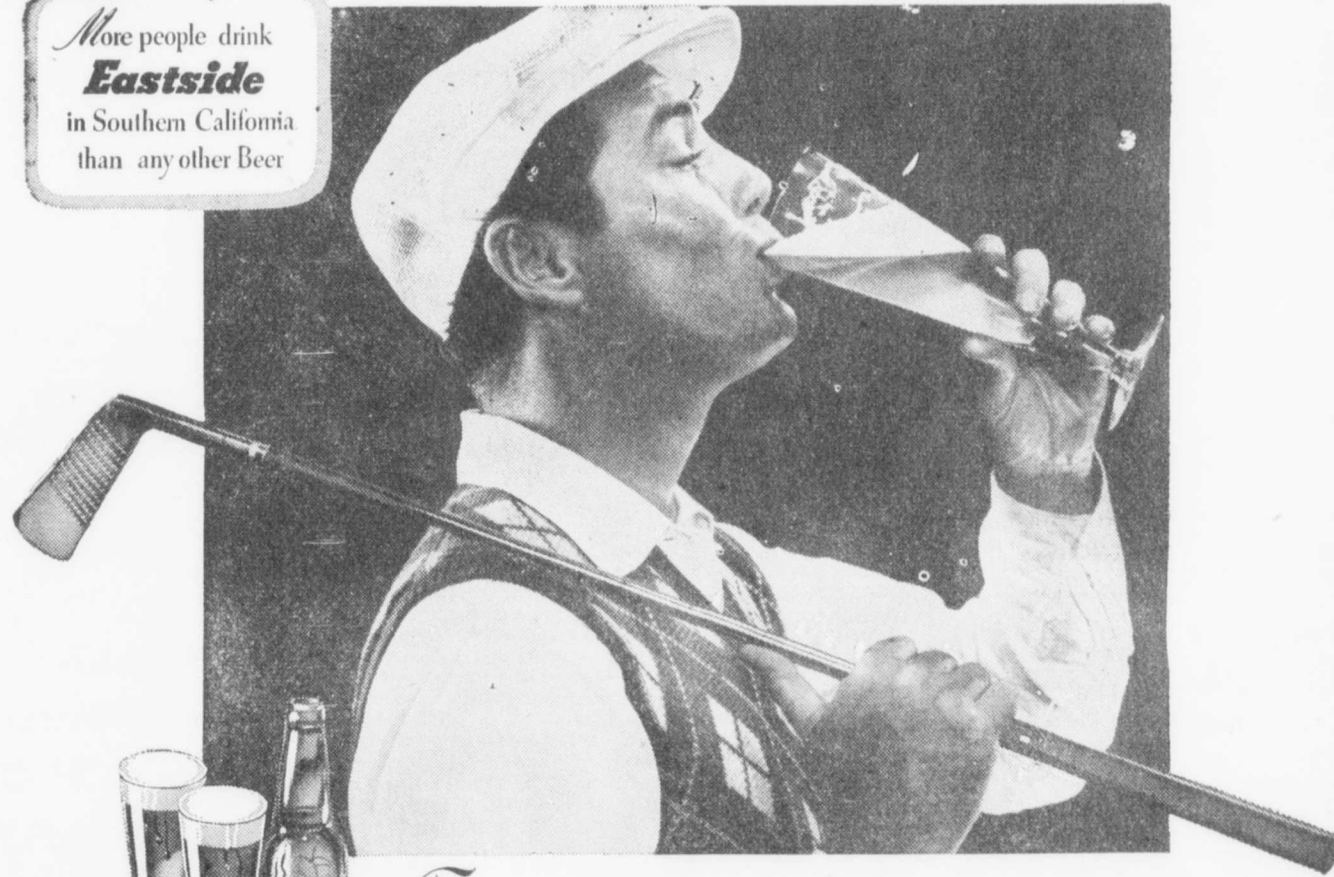
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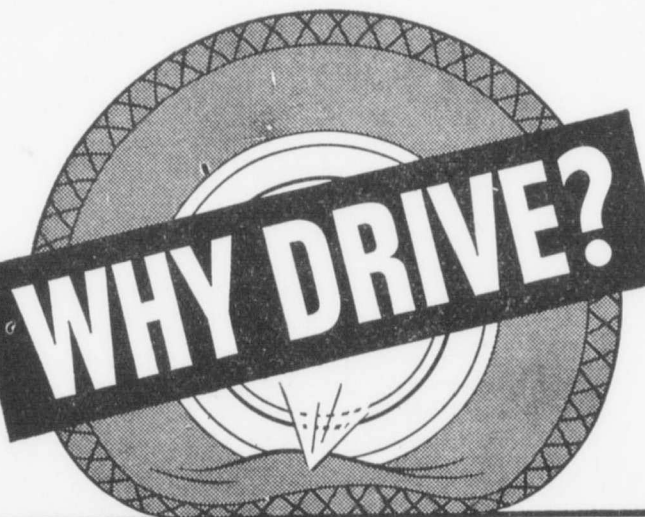
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## DAV Election

Village Post To Elect Officials on Tuesday

Palm Springs Post, Disabled Veterans of America, will meet next Tuesday night at the offices of Commander Dr. James E. Potter at 8 p. m. to elect officers for the new year, members were reminded today, Dr. Potter's offices are at 1020 North Palm Canyon drive.

Election of delegates to the Long Beach state convention June 13 to 16 will also be on the agenda. Delegates will be instructed to invite the 1950 state convention of the DAV to Palm Springs.

More than 1,000 nurses are needed as officers in the regular Navy Nurse Corps. At the present time, the Corps is 1,470 short of the authorized complement of 3,428. In addition, 7,000 nurses are being sought for the Reserve Navy Nurse Corps.

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## Anyway, It Might Have Been a Cat

Jim Maynard Answers Call for Help, Braves Expected Fury But Brings Forth Squirrel

"Tiny" Jim Maynard, the biggest member of the Palm Springs Police department, has long since established his lack of fear where bob-tailed wild cats are concerned.

Last year he walked into a small one-room shed where a cornered ball of wild cat fury was snarling and spitting in a vain attempt to escape. Spectators, who had gathered a safe distance away with the two-inch walls of the shed protecting them, wondered what the outcome would be.

THE CAT, looking at the giant figure of the police officer just decided to strangle itself to death on the end of a rope that was looped around its neck.

This incident took place at the Casitas Del Monte and caused no end of excitement on the part of blase eastern visitors wintering there.

Wednesday another call came from the Casitas Del Monte. The report was that somehow a wild cat had gotten into a garbage can and then apparently pulled the cover of the can on tight. Perhaps it was fear that Maynard would be called again.

MAYNARD, casting his forboding shadow before him, approached the garbage can. From inside of the can could be heard what apparently was the struggle of a trapped wild cat.

Not having x-ray eyes, although he has many other worthwhile attributes, Maynard gingerly lifted the lid of the garbage can.

Then, to the consternation of all present, he reached a giant arm into the interior. Spectators after retreating to a safe distance covered their ears to keep the expected screams of pain from either wildcat (that's possible with Jim attacking) or Maynard.

IT DIDN'T TAKE LONG. There was no fight, no ripping talons of a wild cat, no limb-

## No Protest

Two Liquor License Transfers Tabled

City council in session Wednesday passed without protest the transfer of an on-sale beer and wine license and an off-sale general liquor license.

The beer and wine permit, unprotested, went from James R. Fouch, former owner of the La Paz Guest ranch to the present owner, Edith Wolcott.

Unprotested also was the transfer of the general liquor license from R. R. Gibbs of the Tahquitz Pharmacy to the new owner, Mrs. Ruth True.

from limb tearing by Maynard. In other words, there was no struggle.

Maynard's arm came up out of the can. In it he held the frightened form of a tiny ground squirrel.

Maynard is known for his compassionate heart too where wild things are concerned. Obviously he reasoned, the squirrel must have been mighty hungry to dive into a garbage can.

IN ORDER to provide good quarters and an unfailing supply of provender for the little denizen of the desert, Maynard presented it to Lloyd Mason Smith, curator of the Desert Museum, to cherish and display to visitors as a testimonial of "Tiny" Maynard's lack of fear where wildcats are concerned.

Work is a stimulus to work and loafing a stimulus to laziness.—W. M. Hunt.

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- Excavations, Grading, Concrete and Cement work
- Hollow Concrete Block Work
- Structural Steel and Erection
- Miscellaneous Steel and Iron Items
- Steel Roof Decking
- Suspended Ceilings
- Sheet Metal Work
- Composition Roofing
- Steel Windows, Operators and Screens
- Acoustical Block Ceilings (Alternate)
- Acoustical Plastering (Alternate)
- Interior Cement Plaster and Exterior Stucco Work
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- Interior Tile Work
- Formica Surfaces
- Blackboards
- Carpenter, Mill and Cabinet Work
- Glass and Glazing
- Finish Hardware
- Painting and Finishing
- Plumbing and Gas Piping
- Heating and Ventilation
- Electrical Work
- Certain Separate Prices are requested in the Specifications as indicated on the Proposal Form.

(2) COPIES OF THE PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS and other Contract Documents are on file and open to Public Inspection at the Office of the Architect, Harry J. Williams, The Plaza, Palm Springs, California.

(3) A SET OF SUCH DOCUMENTS may be obtained from the Architect on or after May 8, 1948, upon deposit of \$25.00 per set.

(4) IF, WITHIN FIFTEEN DAYS after the ultimate time set for receipt of bids the Documents are returned to the Architect undamaged, deposits of those who submit a bid or bids will be fully returned; and other deposits, less the actual cost of reproduction of the drawings and specifications so damaged, will be returned.

- SEPARATE BIDS are also requested for the following equipment in full accordance with plans and specifications prepared by Harry J. Williams, Architect:
  - Gymnasium Bleachers
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  - Cooking Room Equipment
  - Faculty Room Equipment
  - Main Kitchen and Serving Room Equipment
  - Dishwashing Equipment
  - Cafeteria Equipment
  - Library Equipment

(6) EACH BIDDER will be required to submit with each "Separate Proposal," a certified check, or Bid-Bond of an Approved Bonding Company, in the amount of 5% of the amount of each separate Bid, as evidence of good faith and intention to execute a Contract to perform the work, if awarded the Contract.

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Pub. Desert Sun: May 7-14-21, 1948.

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## Special Service To Honor Mothers Sunday Evening

At the morning service, at Community church, the Reverend James H. Blackstone, Jr., pastor, will preach on the subject "Christian Motherhood."

"Mother's Day has become an accepted institution in America and a very happy tradition has grown up regarding its celebration," said the pastor. "We join in the tribute of respect and admiration for the mothers of our land, and would urge especially upon young mothers the sacred responsibilities of Christian motherhood. This is a mother's highest calling and she is truly blessed when she has faithfully nurtured her children in Christian faith and brought them up in the fear of the Lord."

A duet by Mrs. Violet Fowler and her daughter, Patricia, entitled "Songs My Mother Taught Me," and a special number by the Chapel Choir entitled "Mother" will be presented during the service. It has been the custom for many years at the Community church on Mother's Day to honor several mothers with the presentation of a bouquet.

At the Christian Endeavor meeting, 6:15 p. m., the young people will participate in a discussion on the theme "Preparing for Home-building." The high school girls' quartet will present a special selection of sacred music.

At the evening service, 7:30 o'clock, a special program of Sacred music and Mother's Day songs will be presented by the junior choir, under the direction of Mrs. Holly Lash Visel. This program is the climax of the season's work for these young singers, who have assisted in the Sunday school work each Sunday and at the evening services twice a month since last September. A great deal of credit is due Mrs. Visel and the accompanist, Mrs. Lois Lux; also Mrs. Leona Markham, Mrs. Charles McDonald and Mrs. Wm. H. Veith for their leadership and assistance in this choir work. After the services those present are invited to remain for a short period of fellowship, with refreshments served by some of the choir mothers.

The program for the service is as follows:

Hymn.  
Invocation.  
Trumpet duet, "Fair Lord Jesus," Jack McDonald and Nelson Visel.  
Soprano solo, "In the Garden," Larry Purnell, accompanied by James Blackstone.  
Harmonica solo, "The Garden of Prayer," Furl McMillan.  
Piano duet, "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," Richard and James Blackstone.  
Worship through tithes and offerings.  
Offertory, "Rhapsody for Piano and Organ," Mrs. Jean Blackstone and Mrs. Lois Lux.  
Piano solo, "Etude in Style," Marlene Markham.  
Solo, "My Mother's Bible," Carolyn Knapp.  
Piano solo, Schubert's Serenade, Wendell Veith.  
Story, Roger Williams.  
"M-O-T-H-E-R," Special ensemble.  
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9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.  
11:00 a.m.: Service and Sermon.  
6 p.m.: Young People's Fellowship.

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## Christian Science Theme 'Adam and Fallen Man'

"If thou return to the Almighty, thou shalt be built up, thou shalt put away iniquity far from thy tabernacles." This verse from Job will be the Golden Text of the Sunday Lesson-Sermon on "Adam and Fallen Man" in all branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston.

As related in the Gospels of Mark and Matthew, Jesus, a ruler of the synagogue, came to Jesus "And besought him greatly, saying, My little daughter lieth at the point of death: I pray thee, come . . . that she may be healed; and she shall live. . . . While he yet spake, there came a certain which said, Thy daughter is dead: why troublest thou the Master any further?" "And when Jesus came into the ruler's house, and saw the minstrels and the people making a noise, He said unto them, Give place; for the maid is not dead, but sleepeth. And they laughed him to scorn. But when the people were put forth, he went in, and took her by the hand, and the maid arose."

Mary Baker Eddy writes in "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures": "The fact that the Christ, or Truth, overcame and still overcomes death proves the 'king of terrors' to be but a mortal belief, or error, which Truth destroys with the spiritual evidences of Life; and this shows that what appears to the senses to be death is but a mortal illusion, for to the real man and the real universe there is no death-process."

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Midweek Service Wednesday, 10 a.m.

## Polo Club Lease Extended One Year

Palm Springs Polo Club had its lease on the Field Club grounds extended for another year. It would have expired June 1. The extension of the lease, it was said, would not interfere with any proposed reconstruction of the Field Club because of a 30-day cancellation clause in the Polo Club lease.

Flash! AMVET Spring Fiesta Saturday night, Colonial House. Don't miss it.

## Sermon Sunday at Episcopal Church To Honor Mothers

Mother's Day will be observed at the Episcopal church, St. Paul's in the Desert, with a sermon by the Rev. Robert M. Hogarth, rector, on "The Mother of Jesus was There."

"She was always there, when He needed her the most, and so are all the good mothers of men," said the rector. "There will be special commendatory prayers for all mothers, especially those gone from us to the higher life, and special music by the parish choir. This will be one day in the year when mothers and their children should attend Sunday school and church together."

Rev. Hogarth and five Palm Springs parishioners attended the Episcopal Convocation last Friday at St. Mark's church, Upland; Mesdames Elser, Kanaga, Lapp, Roberts and Scowden. At luncheon in the Woman's Club the new Bishop Bloy gave an eloquent and challenging address on Evangelism.

The postponed party for the Episcopal parish choir and the Service League will be held on Tuesday with a late afternoon swim in the Smoke Tree Ranch pool and dinner at the Carey Ranch, as guests of the Vestry.

## No Decision Reached On Summer Hours

Summer hours for business at the city hall came up for discussion at Wednesday's meeting of the city council but action was postponed until the adjourned session May 19.

Texas proclaimed its independence from Mexico in 1836, when it was recognized by the United States.

PALM SPRINGS, CALIF.  
Friday, May 7, 1948

## Woman's Circle To Hold Annual Rally at Idyllwild

Idyllwild has been selected for the annual meeting of the Women's Circle of Palm Springs Community church next Tuesday, May 11. Arrangements have been completed for luncheon at the Table Rock Inn which occasion also marks the season's opening of this well known eating spot.

Putting emphasis on the fact that this is a women's club is the unique arrangement of an exclusive reservation for men quite secluded from the main program. After the luncheon a visiting tour to members' cottages in the mountain resort will be made. Many members spend the summer months in Idyllwild.

Reservations for the very nominally priced luncheon may be made by contacting either Mrs. Henderson or Mrs. Hanson, both well known members of the Circle.

cle. Reservations must be in by Sunday, May 9. Luncheon will be served promptly at 1 p. m. "Bring your husbands and friends. We expect to have a very enjoyable afternoon," members urged.

The Federal Bureau of Geological survey was established in 1879.

Attend the Amvets Spring Fiesta Saturday Eve at the Colonial House.

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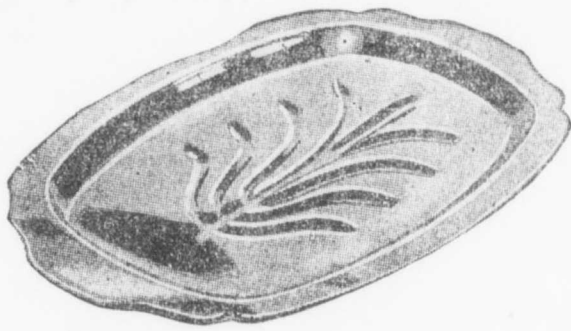
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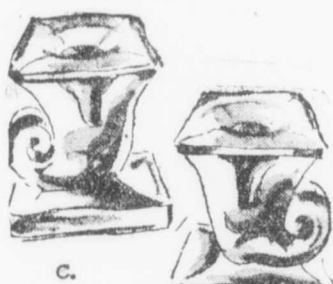
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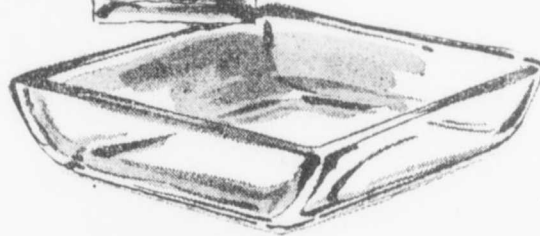
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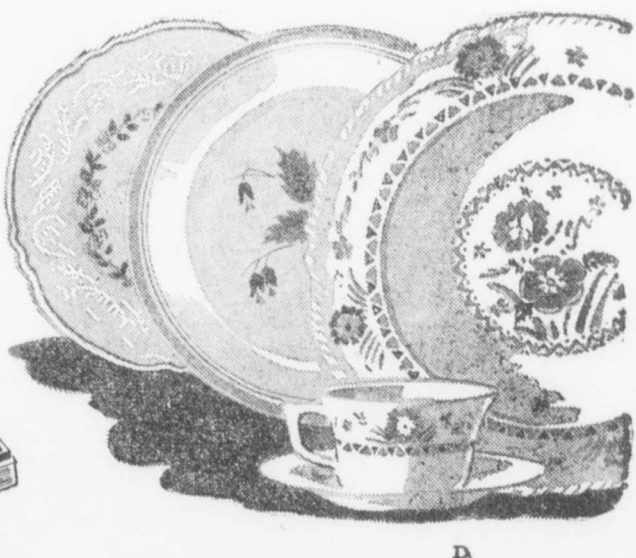
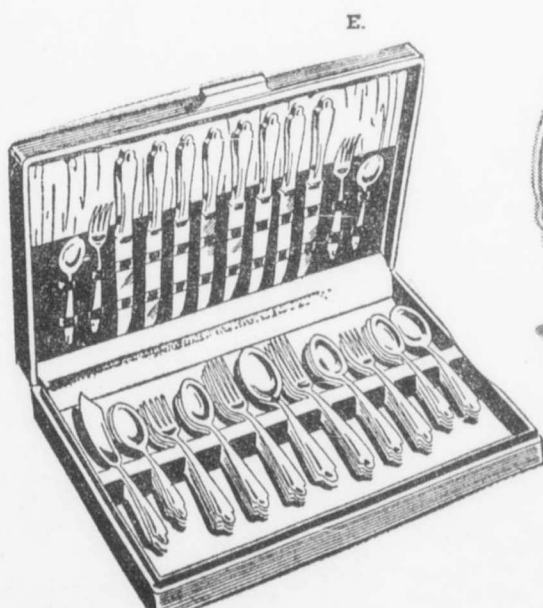
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mittee in charge of studying the Palm Springs Indian land question. The land it was learned is owned by the Agua Caliente band of Indians.

Indian Agent Howard Perdew, asked by a Desert Sun reporter if the land could be obtained on lease from the Indians, replied that he was more than dubious about the success of such a venture.

**HE POINTED OUT** that the triangle in question has been in litigation for some time.

"Carrie McCoy, member of the Agua Caliente tribe has been suing the government for patent fee for this particular land for almost 15 years," Perdew said. "She lost her suit in the lower federal courts and although it is not known whether the case will be taken to the U. S. Supreme court, the department of interior has asked that this land shall not be leased."

**HE SAID HOWEVER**, that there is a possibility of obtaining a land-use permit which is revocable by the Government on 30-days notice.

"Anyway the picture as it stands today doesn't look good insofar as a lease on this land is concerned. However," continued Perdew, "in six months from today the picture may be drastically changed."

**Open All Summer**

Offices of the Santa Fe will remain open throughout the summer months, according to an announcement by Jay Rollman, passenger agent here.

He said that L. J. Robeson will be in charge of operations here and that the offices were being held open for the convenience of summer dwelling residents.

Rollman is scheduled to leave Palm Springs for duty with the rail carrier in Los Angeles May 15.

It's the Colonial House Saturday night when the Annual Spring Fiesta of the AMVETS takes place.

the phone calls.) . . . He must have a new program now because I heard a girl refer to his as "Hal Davis, the dream man." . . . Hmmm . . . Just call me night-mare.

**SUNDAY** is Mother's Day . . . It was started about 30 years ago . . . Not by greeting card manufacturers as a lot of people think . . . But it's a lot older than that . . . Centuries ago they had what is known as "mothering day" in England . . . Gave her presents of waffles . . . Now they give her a waffle iron and sit back with a syrup pitcher in each hand . . . People who were dubious about having a woman on the council, expecting to have the cost of laundering dollies and antimacassars (I like that word) for councilmanic chairs on their tax bills, needn't worry. Councilwoman Hardy is making good . . . But she was the cause of a little music at the council meeting the other night . . . It was her birthday and when the audience, about 70 strong, found it out, they sang "Happy Birthday, dear Ruthie" to her . . . It didn't take Mayor Farrell long to get harmony in the council chamber.

**WHEN HOWARD POE** reconsidered his resignation he gyped himself out of hearing a lot of nice things said about him . . . When the school kids heard that he was going to resign they started writing up eulogies . . . Now that he has reconsidered and is going to stay with us he might as well know what they think of him, anyway . . . Poe, so George Bond, school transportation chief, and the kids themselves say, was (and still is) to their great delight) one of the chief factors in the school's safety record . . . He's always there when the bus rolls along, to see that traffic laws are enforced and that the kids get across the street safely . . . "Most co-operative person in the safety program I've ever seen," said Bond.

**THAT WASN'T** an earthquake you felt a little while ago—it was just the linotype operator fainting when he came across that line up above hinting that I may write these chores by hand.

**Restrictions****New Roller Rink Lease Gets Added Clauses**

Lease transfer of the Field Club Roller Rink from Lydia Beth Cummers to Jerry Nathanson was re-written with new restrictions before adoption by council Wednesday.

The lease was transferred to Nathanson provided the rink shall be used only for roller skating and dancing and that these affairs shall be held five times a week for eight months of the year.

In addition if Nathanson takes over the lease, he must increase liability insurance from \$50,000 to \$250,000.

The new lease provides that on 30-day notice council can commandeer the Roller Rink for community dances or other Village affairs.

**From Page One—MORE ABOUT This Side of Sun . . .**

copy was lost and a jokester de-winged a fly, dipped its feet in ink, and let it walk over several sheets of paper . . . The result was given to this faithful typesetter and he went to work . . . When Greeley read the resultant editorial he puffed out his chest and said: "Best editorial I ever wrote." . . . At least, that's the way I heard it . . . I wasn't there . . . It might have been Dana.

**MAYBE** I'd better start writing these columns by hand.

**HAL DAVIS**, up at KCMJ gave me a busy half hour or so the other morning . . . He doesn't know it but when he said it was 93 he sent a lot of doubting Thomases to the telephone to ask "how hot is it?" . . . I didn't know either so I told all of them to call the police station . . . If they had a lot of calls there, blame it on blond Hal, not me . . . I was just the in-between . . . (It was 104 later that day but Davis' statement was made long before the peak judging from the time of

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is at its best from now on through May—the most enticing month of the year—so you'll be happy while here—and glad you too stayed through May.



# Hospital Election Set for Dec. 21

## Fall Date Asked by Backers

Most Residents Back By That Time to Participate in Voting

Tuesday, Dec. 14 has been designated as the date for the special election on the proposed Desert Hospital district by county board of supervisors following appearance before them Monday of Kenneth Kirk, general chairman of the district organization committee and Harry C. Harper, of Palm Springs.

The date was requested by Kirk and Harper when they presented the petitions asking for formation of a hospital district to the board. There were 1,100 signatures on the petitions.

It would be possible, legally, to hold the election late this summer but sponsors preferred the later date when Villagers who leave during the hot months will have returned and practically all of the home owners will be back for the new season.

A routine check of the signatures on the petitions is being made by County Clerk G. A. Pequegnat's office and dates for two hearings on the petitions will

See HOSPITAL, Page 12

## Citizens Bus To Go To Summer Basis Monday

Citizen Bus line will go on the summer schedule next Monday, May 10, Mrs. Polly Isenagle, manager for the Tanners Motor Livery in Palm Springs, said this week.

The schedule, starting Monday, will be from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. with no night runs scheduled, she said. All through the season the Citizen's Bus line has been operating from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m.

The schedule to the Veterans Housing project on Ramon road, Lienau Village, will also be changed starting Monday. Outbound busses will leave the station before the Desert Inn at 11:15 a.m. and 3:15 p.m. Inbound busses will leave Lienau Village at 11:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

Mrs. Isenagle said this service will continue all summer if business warrants.

## Wild Flower Author Visitor at Museum

Among the visitors to the Desert Museum last week was Josef Muench of Santa Barbara, who, with his wife is currently at work on a book on the wild flowers of southern California. Mr. Muench, one of the foremost Western photographers, is a member of the Museum Scientific Advisory Board in the Photography section.

## Registration Sets Record in County

70,853 Eligible to Vote At June 1 Primary

Registration in Riverside county set a new record when the books were closed April 22 for the June 1 primary, County Clerk G. A. Pequegnat reported this week.

There are 70,853 voters now registered in the county, Pequegnat revealed Tuesday. Highest previous registration for a presidential primary in the county was 49,861 in 1946. When the general register closed for the election in the fall of 1946 there were 57,853 eligible to vote in the county, the highest registration prior to this year's.

DEMOCRATS still held the lead in the county with 34,692 listed compared with 31,967 registered as republicans.

Riverside city showed a slight leaning toward the G.O.P. but the remainder of the county gave the democrats the lead. Although the figures for cities outside of the county seat had not been given out as yet, Palm Springs, it is believed, will show a slight republican leaning.

BREAKDOWN of the registration figures for the county as listed by Walter McClasky, election deputy in Pequegnat's office, shows the registration by groups. One lone communist is included. The figures:

Democratic	34,692
Republican	31,967
Non-Partisan	907
Prohibition	190
Socialist	20
Progressive	22
Townsend	6
Independent	141
Independent Prog.	44
Communist	1
Declined to State	2923

## Wins Distributor Is Palm Springs Visitor

Visiting here over last weekend, at the Palm Springs Biltmore, was S. J. Blackstone, president of Peck Corporation, Los Angeles. Mr. Blackstone's company is the manufacturer of Wins, a dietary supplement, which is said to greatly aid in a reduction diet. Taking the fancy of many who desire to reduce, the sales of the newly introduced product, are said to be fabulous, and the talk of the dietary trade, and health enthusiasts. While here Mr. Blackstone selected the Whelan Drug Company, whose manager is Morris Finerman, as the local outlet for the new product.

Tomorrow night—The Amvets Spring Fiesta—Colonial House.

## Stay Through May Publicity Goes Far

Thousands of Copies Of Advertisement Mailed

More than 6,000 glossy proofs of the Palm Springs advertisement setting forth the advantages of staying here through May, have already been sent out and the remainder of the 15,000 ordered, will go out soon.

Earle O'Day, Chamber of Commerce manager, said that 15,000 "proofs" of the advertisement running in San Francisco, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles and San Diego newspapers, designed to build up the late Spring business here, had been obtained.

THESE PROOFS, he said, being used as "stuffers" in direct mail sent out by hotels and commercial establishments which are co-operating in the \$2000 Chamber of Commerce newspaper campaign.

Topping the list of those using the glossy reproductions in the Spring campaign is Gerald Weber of the Palm Springs Pueblo who has sent out an even 1,000.

IN ADDITION, three large firms, the Palm Springs Water company, Lanz of California and the Rigid Manufacturing company of Los Angeles, are using the advertisement in their May billings covering almost 3,000 families.

The Chamber of Commerce itself is enclosing a copy of the advertisement in all correspondence sent out of town.

Copies of the reproductions of the advertisement are still available at the Chamber of Commerce office said O'Day.

## Desert Museum

Season To End May 15; To Re-Open Oct. 16

The Desert Museum will close one of its biggest years Saturday, May 15, with lectures, motion pictures and field trips scheduled right up to the last moment.

Lloyd Mason Smith, director, said the Museum would re-open for the new season on October 16. He is already working on the new year's program.

During the last two weeks of the current season the regular motion picture, lecture and field trip schedules will be carried on.

## Rock Island

C. O. Huff, Passenger Representative, Here

C. O. Huff, general agent for the passenger department of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad was in Palm Springs the fore part of the week visiting with Charles McGann of the Southern Pacific.

Mr. Huff, who has spent many seasons in the southwest, was accompanied by Mrs. Huff on his visit to the Village.

## Second Section

### The Desert Sun

Palm Springs, California  
Friday, May 7, 1948

## Two Villagers Will Sit in on GOP Sessions

When republicans meet in Philadelphia in June to select a candidate for the national presidency, the Village will be represented in the throngs attending the convention.

Last week Philip L. Boyd, former Palm Springs mayor and assemblyman from this district, was appointed as alternate delegate to the convention.

This week Mrs. Melba Bennett, county republican leader, was informed that she had hotel reservations and admission credentials to the history-making session and plans to attend.

## Palm Springs Aids CARE Shipments

Palm Springs, during the season, did its share for CARE said Ashley Sims, local chairman, and many packages of food and clothing went to the needy overseas as result of the generosity of Villagers.

The local CARE headquarters is at the Olman Service Bureau, 457 North Palm Canyon drive and orders for packages to go overseas may be left there.

CARE, a non-profit, government-owned agency sent 2,608, 106 food and clothing parcels overseas, Sims said, following a receipt of a summary from the national headquarters.

Jack Gholstin, a resident of Palm Springs since 1932, is now making his home at the El Coronado, 1410 South Palm Canyon drive. Mrs. Gholstin recently passed away after a long illness.

Attend the Amvets Spring Fiesta Saturday Eve at the Colonial House.

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## Burglars Display Rare Taste in Raid

But Those Phonograph Records Will Throw Them

Burglars, who raided the J. C. Lanahan home, 384 Monte Vista drive sometime between April 20 and last Monday, are apparently persons of good taste and desirous of enjoying the nicer things of life, according to Mrs. Lanahan.

They took, besides clothing and miscellaneous articles usually found missing after a burglary, pictures off the walls, a radio, phonograph records, fancy table lamps and other household furnishings.

LOOT WAS ESTIMATED in excess of \$1,300 by the Lanahans who had just returned from a 13-day trip to the north when they discovered they had been robbed.

Included in the missing articles were practically every item of clothing Mr. Lanahan had left behind, from shorts to suits and shoes. The phonograph records will surprise them, however, for they were part of a linguistic course in Spanish Mr. Lanahan is taking.

THE THIEVES displayed their excellent taste, Mrs. Lanahan said, in their selections of the pictures and plaques they took from the walls. From the nature of the loot, she added, it looked

## Would Name Park For Gen. Patton

Supervisors Authorize Request to State Board

Riverside county supervisors, in session Monday, voted to ask the state park commission when, and if, they authorized the establishment of a state park at Salton Sea, to name it General Patton State Park as a memorial to the late warrior who trained his troops there.

The resolution was adopted on motion of Supervisor James L. Easley, representing the fourth district.

Douglas Black, who represented the county planning commission at last Saturday's state park commission hearing when the Salton Sea project was discussed, reported to supervisors on the meeting.

The commission's staff has been authorized to acquire land for the park.

as if the raiders were planning to furnish a home. The burglary was reported to police by Elmer Markham who found a French window broken in with a rock.

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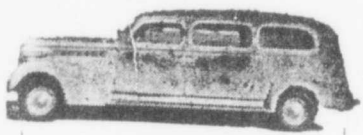
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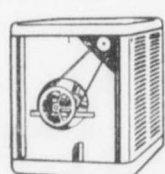
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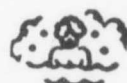
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## Jay Morrison to Head Legion Post For Coming Year

Jay Morrison, unopposed candidate for the office of commander of Owen Coffman Post, American Legion, was elected by unanimous vote at the annual meeting Tuesday night.

He succeeds Commander John Connell at installation rites to be announced later.

Elected with Morrison were: Theodore McKinney, first vice-commander; Warren Slaughter, second vice-commander; Robert Schmuck, chaplain; Lloyd E. Thomas, historian; Lawrence W. Richards, sergeant-at-arms.

There was no contest for the three positions on the executive board. Elected were C. V. Knupp, George W. Kreimer and G. K. Sanborn.

All but one recommendation of the executive board, submitted to the members, was passed at the meeting.

MOST IMPORTANT was the employment of a business agent to look after operation of the Wars Memorial building. In addition to his duties as business manager of the Legion hall, he will also act as service officer and will combine his duties with those of a publicity man.

Annual Past Commanders dinner-dance has been set for May 26.

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GOOD LUCK—Wilson O. Gibbs, newly elected president of Palm Springs Rotary Club, receives congratulations from outgoing president, William E. Alworth. The new top man of the Rotarians takes office July 1 and will preside at his first meeting July 7 at the Bombay, summer meeting place of the organization. Last meeting of Rotarians for the current season will take place at the Desert Inn, May 5.

## Open House Event Breaks Records at Palm Springs High

Nearly 500 persons attended the high school open house last Thursday evening. This record crowd came despite cool breezes and the knowledge that the program was to be presented out of doors.

Highlights of entertainment for the evening were a minstrel show with a cast of sixty students presented under the direction of Alexander Hammond, and band and dance orchestra numbers conducted by Gustave Patzner.

Exhibits that attracted large groups of spectators during the evening were the display of furniture made in hardwoods in C. T. Collins' woodworking class and the leather and metal crafts projects which were executed under the direction of Andrew Lester. Room 3 was filled to capacity for a student debate on the Merit System which was held in the early part of the evening.

Arrangements for Open House were made by a faculty committee appointed by Principal E. E. Oertel.

## Soroptimists Feted By Mrs. Coffman on First Anniversary

In honor of the first birthday of the Soroptimist Club Mrs. Nellie Coffman, honorary member, entertained the entire membership and their Soroptimists on Tuesday evening at a formal dinner in the outdoor patio. The long table was beautifully decorated with flowers in blue and gold, the club colors, with lighted tapers enhancing the lovely setting. Gwen and Gene Bari gave a musical program of special numbers, ending with the traditional "Happy Birthday to You". Holly Visel gave a group of delightful readings.

Honor guests were John Babbage who spoke briefly on his FBI experiences in South America, and Philip Boyd, who introduced Mr. Babbage. Mr. Boyd gave an interesting account of legislature procedure, in continuation of his previous address to the club some weeks ago at their regular noon luncheon meeting.

Those present included President Katherine Finchy and officers, Laura Greeley, Rhoda Garner, Esther Driskell, Gladys Capper, Muriel Fulton, Jennie Kelley, Esther Weingarten; also Eileen Carey, Edna Brott, Eam-majean Hume, Madge Holderman, Polly Isenagie, Margaret Illick, Esther McGee, Pegi Scott, Dorothy Stein, Mickey Wheeler, Lois Lux, Holly Visel, Thelma Spalding, Genevieve Manley, Luella Coffin, Mary Whitehouse, and Soroptimists Tex Driskell, William Coffin, Bill Lux, Melvin Capper, Henry Greeley, Ray Kelley, Wall Spalding, George Wheeler, Walter Illick and Dr. E. Whitehouse.

The regular weekly luncheon meeting on Tuesday will be a buffet service at 12 noon at the Royal Palms Hotel. Election of officers for the ensuing year will take place.

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Perry Jones would stage the annual Southern California Invitational tournament here in November.

Plans are now in the preliminary stage.

Each year the president of the United States receives hundreds of gifts; the practice started in George Washington's day.

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**Hospital...**

then be set by the board. The first will be fixed in June as time for the preliminary hearing. Later a final hearing will be held. Objections from persons not wishing to be included or requests from others who wish to be included in the district will be received by the board at these hearings. The lines of the proposed district, in general, follow those of the Palm Springs Unified School district with a few additions.

Legal details of the district plan from now on are in the hands of Deputy County Council Fitzgerald.



# Sports

## Studebaker Takes Title In Local Yokel Play

### Waite Takes Low Net Honors, Castro Wins Caddy Joust

Large Field Seeks Honors in Village Golf Tournaments

V. E. Studebaker fired a 70 over the O'Donnell golf course Tuesday to overhaul the field and lead the way to the Local Yokel golf title, taking low gross honors with 143. He carded a 73 the first day, finishing in second place at the end of the first 18. His hot day Tuesday put him three strokes ahead of Milt Hicks, who also did some overhauling the second day, coming from behind to nab the place spot with a 146.

**DEFENDING CHAMP** Pat Martin, who plays from scratch, scored 147 for third place. Phil Waite, who shot a 149 but deducted a 22 handicap, took low gross honors with 127.

Scores in the Local Yokel tourney:

V. E. Studebaker, 143-12-131.  
Milt Hicks, 146-8-138.  
Pat Martin, 147-0-147.  
Phil Waite, 149-22-127.  
John Wood, 153-12-141.  
B. Duffy, 153-20-133.  
M. Smith, 154-16-138.  
B. F. Shearer, 156-14-142.  
H. McAllister, 156-23-132.  
Mike Flavin, 157-16-141.  
Sid Sales, 158-22-126.  
Frank Benedetti, 160-16-144.  
Marvin Weis, 160-18-142.

**SUDDEN DEATH** decided the Caddies' tournament when Charlie Castro and Johnny Lopez were all square at the end of 36 holes with 142. A one-hole play-off decided it, Castro shooting a par 4 while Lopez took a 5.

Other scores in the caddies joust in which 15 competed:  
Lee Baker, 159; W. Griffen, 172; Jimmy Young, 173.

A sweepstakes prize attracted 18 players over an 18-hole route with low net winning the honors. The scores:

Phil Waite, 72-11-61.  
Mike Flavin, 74-8-66.  
John Archibald, 83-17-66.  
Alvin Yogi was the defending champ in the caddy joust and Martin in the Local Yokel play.

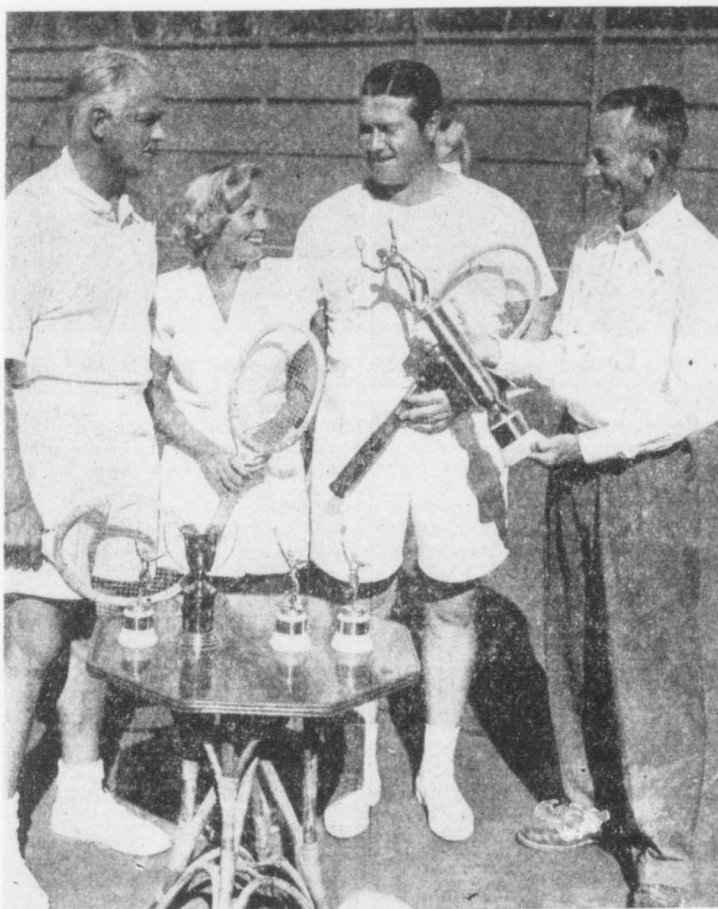
**Elsinore Here**

Last County League Game Slated Today

Palm Springs Indians with one victory and three defeats in Riverside County loop baseball competition, plays host to Elsinore high this afternoon at the local field.

Elsinore has accumulated several victories in competition so far and is favored but Coach C. E. Ballagh's boys, with a win over Beaumont last week, are fired up for this one, the final RCL game.

Tomorrow night—The Amvets Spring Fiesta—Colonial House.



**TO THE VICTORS**—Charles McDonald, right, presents cups at Racquet Club to winners in the recent Palm Springs tournament. Left, Charles Farrell, the mayor; Mrs. Bill Powell, and Harry Plymire. Plymire got in on all three cups—he took the singles title then paired with Mousie Powell, the mixed doubles and last, paired with Hizzoner, the men's doubles. McDonald managed the highly successful tourney. (Desert Sun photo.)

### Plymire Is Long On Tennis Cups Today

Harry Plymire was long on cups today as result of the Palm Springs Tennis tournament just closed.

He had the men's singles cup, shared in the mixed doubles honors with Mrs. Bill Powell and shared in the men's doubles crown with Mayor Charles Farrell.

Besides that, his name goes on the big, handsome permanent cup which is in competition each year in the men's singles.

**NAMES ON THAT CUP** are Stewart Pickering, 1940; Bill Gilbert, 1941; Paul Lukas, 1947 and now, Harry Plymire, 1948. Besides that, back in 1941, paired with Mayor Farrell just as he was this year, he and the current Hizzoner downed some of the top combinations in southern California to take the men's doubles honors.

**THE TOURNAMENT** is self supporting. All cups are bought out of funds of the tournament itself from entry fees and so on. This year's joust was one of the best of the series which started in 1940 but was interrupted by the war years.

Also winner of a cup in the 1948 tournament but not present for the photographer's day at the Racquet Club Tuesday was W. T. Dollar who took the Men's Singles Consolation final.

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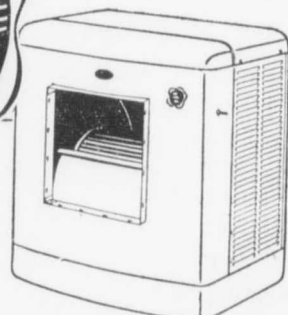
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## Plans for Desert Progress Subject Of Advisory Board

Coachella Valley County Advisory Planning Committee met in the Town Hall at Cathedral City April 28. President Lewis, president of the Chamber of Commerce and a member of the committee, gave a welcome to the committee members, guests and citizens of Cathedral City and turned the meeting over to Ted Carlson of Indio, chairman of the committee. After the roll-call and the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, reports of the various chairmen of committees were head.

Mr. Cook gave the report on road planning in the valley, stating the changes contemplated in Highway 111 and some other roads further down the valley.

IT SHOULD BE SAID that this committee functions because of an over-all survey of the entire district by Charles W. Eliot; a survey of all needs covering a period of the next 25 years. Various sub-committees study portions of this report which relates to their district and then advise acceptance or recommend changes.

Leslie Kelley gave the report of the Fire Committee and then of the committee on schools. He advised delay and further study on the school plans. George Roberson reported on recreation for the district and advised certain changes. Mr. Mitchell gave an excellent report on the Building, Code, Sanitation and Zoning Ordinances. Supervisor Easley said that two million dollars have been appropriated to establish the new branch of the state university at Riverside. Joe Snyder made the most comprehensive report of the evening on the Indian land question as it affects the district around the Salton Sea. He stated that his committee sponsored a bill now in Congress to permit the allotment of lands to individual Indians, exchange of certain allotments for better land, sale of Tribal lands and the apportionment of the money received for development of the allotments. His report did not refer in any way to the Palm Springs Indian question.

Lyle Howell reported on the status of the proposed Salton Sea

Mrs. J. F. Jones, of the Jones Fruit Stand, was called to Long Beach by the death of her uncle, Thomas Hull, on Wednesday of last week.

To show their high regards and regrets for the departure of Forester Eugene Smith and family, who has been stationed at the fire hall for the past eight months, a number of the firemen and their families surprised them on Saturday night. Due to a promotion Forester Smith has been transferred to West Riverside. Forester Orin White takes over the duties of Mr. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Walberg of Palm Springs recently purchased

State Park. It seems there are certain private properties concerned in the proposed site and it is uncertain if the proposed project can be established. Mr. Ames, one of these owners, spoke against State control of the area.

AFTER THE VARIOUS REPORTS, Mr. Eliot gave a general talk on his recommendations, explaining that they were not a blue-print of things definitely to be accomplished but a plan to work on, to modify, change, extend or withdraw as the years prove their necessity or inadvisability.

Among those advisors to this committee present at the meeting were A. C. Keith, county surveyor and superintendent of roads; Douglas Black, county planning technician; Robert Fullenwider, secretary of Riverside County Chamber of Commerce and manager of the Indio county fair; Tom Keiley of the State Indian office, and James Easley, county supervisor. Those officials of Palm Springs present at the dinner were also present at the meeting at the Town Hall.

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# CATHEDRAL CITY PAGE

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## Cathedral City News Roundup

### Former Resident Of Cathedral City In Movie Benefit

A benefit motion picture performance at the Town Hall in Cathedral City has been scheduled for Wednesday evening, May 12, and will be of special interest to pioneers of the community and surrounding desert.

The benefit, designed to aid in the purchase of a portable or a drop motion picture screen for the Town Hall will start at 7:45 p. m. and the admission price will be 50 cents.

Of the many features to be shown one, of special interest to Cathedral City, is the 1908 film which features Katherine Price, a resident of the local area for many years.

Other features include a Joe Louis championship fight picture, an alligator hunt film, a super-thriller and shorts, most of them with sound. It will be a two and one-half hour show.

### Anniversary

Birthday Dinner at Gus Halm Residence

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Halm was the scene of a birthday dinner Wednesday evening honoring their son-in-law, James Morris.

Following the dinner the evening was spent in a musicale with Mr. and Mrs. Woodbury Cammett of Long Beach, well known entertainers, participating.

Those present were Mrs. Halm, William, Richard and Donald Halm, Miss Dorothy Winterton, of Palm Springs, Mr. and Mrs. James Morris and daughter, Susan, and Mr. and Mrs. Cammett of Long Beach.

Tomorrow night—The Amvets Spring Fiesta—Colonial House.

chased the National Trailer store from Paul Bowers. Mr. and Mrs. Walberg live at the Ramon Trailer Court at present but are anticipating making their home here. Mr. and Mrs. Bowers are planning an extended vacation in Los Angeles. Future plans are indefinite at the present.

Local street improvement includes sealing and smoothing pavement cuts made and repaired by the gas company. The state highway crew are repairing and widening the highway through the Village.

Prof. James W. Kyle and Emil Greener are a local committee investigating the best method of planting and best type of tree to line the main street.

For the additional protection of SunAir tracts and portions of the older area of Cathedral City a small diversion channel is being built near the south section line. The channel will turn any stray flood waters that might fall inside the main channel in that area back into the main water course. The work is being done by the County Flood Authority at the expense of Walter Melrose.

John Babbage, who is a candidate to succeed Phil Boyd in the Assembly, has been calling on local residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Demmer are the proud parents of a daughter, Barbara Lee. Mrs. Demmer and daughter are now at home at Moon Manor. Barbara Lee was born April 26 at 1:40 a. m. at Torney hospital. Mrs. Demmer's mother, Mrs. Mary Coen of Oakland, is sharing the care of the new granddaughter.

Attend the Amvets Spring Fiesta Saturday Eve at the Colonial House.

### Coachella Planners Dinner Guests at Cathedral City

Coachella Valley County Advisory Planning committee met at the Totem Pole in Cathedral City on the evening of April 28 as guests of the Cathedral City Chamber of Commerce. President Lewis of the Chamber of Commerce acted as toastmaster and introduced those who were not members of the committee.

Among those at the dinner who were neither members of the committee nor directors of the Chamber of Commerce were Supervisor James I. Easley; Charles Farrell, mayor of Palm Springs; Charles W. Eliot, grandson of the Charles W. Eliot of five-foot-shelf fame. Mr. Eliot is advisor to the Riverside County Planning commission and says he is a pediatrician to young and growing communities. Also from Palm Springs were George Minturn, city engineer; George Woodman, city planners; Howard Perdue, Indian agent, and George Roberson of the Desert Inn.

Between dinner and dessert, Jim Easley spoke on the establishment of a branch of the state university at Riverside. He said that Riverside county, being without a basic zoning law, found it necessary to pass such an ordinance to acquire the university and that a district had been zoned for this purpose. He also said that this basic zoning law could be made applicable to other sections of the county and for other purposes. He said that some people were afraid of a water shortage in this district but assured us that there is no such danger as we have access to 117,000 acre-feet from Whitewater. Mr. Eliot spoke briefly on the zoning ordinance, its necessity and application.

After dinner, the meeting adjourned to the Town Hall at 7:30 p. m.

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Then the radio! What do they hear? Same old laughing studio audiences they get at home. KCMJ should liven things up and give them some lokel yokel "Live Talent" programms that have

a tinge of the desert and a flavor of desert romance.

Last but not least, give the tourists a place to sit and cool off their dogs, watch the folks go by, and "jst set in th' sun."

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## Breakfast Rally At Desert Inn Honors Babbage

Tuesday was "Palm Springs Day" in the campaign of John Babbage for election as assemblyman from Riverside county. The well-known deputy district attorney was honored at a breakfast in the morning at the Desert Inn, was introduced about the Village during the day, attended the Employers Association luncheon at noon, and at night addressed the Soroptimist Club's Birthday Party.

Nearly 40 residents of the Village were present for a breakfast given in his honor by George Robertson and Earl Coffman of the Desert Inn. Mr. Babbage was in-

## Adams Assumes Chairmanship of Phillips Campaign

Accepting chairmanship of the Phillips for Congress Committee of Riverside county, Donald G. Adams, prominent Riverside attorney, today appealed to voters of both major parties for their support in re-electing Congressman Phillips at the June 1 primary election.

Atty. Adams will head a large bi-partisan committee that will direct an intensive campaign on behalf of the congressman during the next four weeks, culminating in the election on Tuesday, June 1.

It appears improbable that Congressman Phillips can come home ahead of the election due to the urgency of legislation at Washington, he said.

"In his absence the work of the campaign will fall on the shoulders of his friends of both parties in the 22nd district, but I am sure they will give him this assistance enthusiastically out of their great respect for his proven value to the district and nation," the committee chairman declared.

"The committee in charge of the campaign for Congressman Phillips will need considerable assistance this month, and I will be happy to hear from volunteers willing to help," Mr. Adams said. Headquarters of the Phillips for Congress committee are at 3616 Main street, Riverside.

roduced and recommended to the group by Phil Boyd, former mayor of Palm Springs and now assemblyman from Riverside county. He is not seeking re-election, his term ending next Dec. 31.

IN A SHORT ADDRESS to the group Mr. Babbage pledged sincere, honest and energetic services at Sacramento, declaring that the task of following such a man as Phil Boyd in the legislative post is a most difficult one.

Business owners and employees had an opportunity to meet the legislative candidate when he was introduced downtown by Melba Bennett. In the afternoon he was taken to Cathedral City, following the Employers Association luncheon where he again was presented by Assemblyman Boyd. In the evening he spoke to the Soroptimist members at their party honoring organization of the club here two years ago.

## Girl Scouts

### REPORT TO THE PUBLIC—

The Girl Scouts of Palm Springs have had a busy year as evidenced by the following activities during the past scout year. The three chief aims of Girl Scouting are service in the home, community service and international service and, along with these activities, the girls all agree that they have had a good time.

Helped in clean campaign. Sold T. B. seals. Sang Christmas carols in the plaza.

Repaired toys for welfare. Sold calendars—\$163.20 profit. Made tray favors for hospital. Assisted in March of Dimes. Participated in Circus Parade. Collected clothing for international project.

Presented entertainment for civic groups. Radio presentations through courtesy of KCMJ.

Horseback riding and care of horses. Selling boards for new Scout house.

Girls awarded camperships by Welfare & Friendly Aid. Summer craft classes under Mrs. Morrison.

Handicraft display at Bullocks. Two courts of Awards. Cookie sale to earn next year's registration fees.

Leaders training by Mrs. William Rashall. Thanks to Strebe Theaters for matinees.

Swimming and work for Red Cross certificates. Thanks to Royal Palms hotel for Swim Circus.

Camping and outdoor cookery

on overnight hikes and rides.

INVESTITURE—Girl Scout Troop VIII, recently formed, have already earned their tenderfoot badges which represents hard work on their part and the part of their leader, Mrs. Barbara Markham. The badges were presented to the new scouts Monday nite in a lovely and impressive candle light Investiture ceremony given by Troop III.

DANCING PARTY—Girl Scouts Roberta Poliak, Marlene Markham and Sara Holzinger are other scouts, one of the main tonight hostessing a party for other scouts, one of the main features of the evening being to fulfill requirements for their dancing badges.

Tomorrow night—The Amvets Spring Fiesta—Colonial House.

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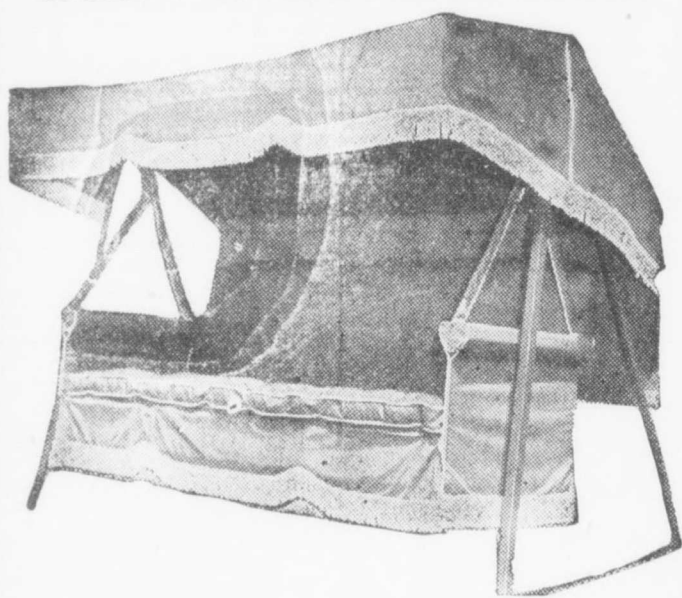
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## Look who gets squeezed!

Union leaders representing less than one-tenth of railroad employees reject recommendations of President's Emergency board—refuse to negotiate except on their own terms—threaten to paralyze nation by strike!

THE LEADERS of three railroad unions, representing less than one-tenth of all railroad employees, have called a railroad strike that would paralyze the nation.

These leaders refuse to accept a 15½ cents an hour wage increase retroactive to November 1, 1947. This increase was recommended by an impartial Emergency Board appointed by President Truman.

This increase of 15½ cents already has been accepted by the 19 other railroad unions. But the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, and the Switchmen's Union of North America won't accept what more than 90% of all railroad employees have accepted. They have called a strike to get more!

Unions refuse rules discussion  
Certain rules changes demanded by these union leaders—which would increase wages still further—were recommended by the Board. But the union leaders want more—they demand that the railroads put into effect ALL the changes they asked for, including those the Board felt should be denied.

On top of this, they insist that certain rules changes proposed by the railroads be withdrawn—in spite of the fact that the Board recommended them! These union leaders have refused to negotiate except upon these arbitrary terms.

Greater wage increase not justified  
Engineers and firemen are among the highest paid of all employees in America, as figures in the box show. This strike threat doesn't justify giving a greater increase than other railroad workers received.

Emergency Boards are a means provided by the Railway Labor Act in the public interest to avoid strikes. The President's Board,

after hearing evidence for 33 days, made recommendations based on all the facts in the case. The railroads have accepted these recommendations.

### Who's to blame?

Although they deplored so large an extra cost burden, the railroads accepted the report of the Board because they felt it was in the public interest to uphold the spirit and intent of the Railway Labor Act.

### Compare these wages with what you make!

Here is a comparison of average annual earnings of engineers and firemen for 1939 (pre-war) and 1947. Also shown is what 1947 earnings would have been if the 15½ cents per hour increase, offered by the railroads and rejected by the union leaders, had been in effect throughout the entire year 1947.

Type of Employee	1939 Average Annual Earnings	1947 Average Annual Earnings	1947 Average Annual Earnings with Wage Increases Recommended by President's Board
ENGINEERS			
Road Freight (Local and Way)	\$3,966	\$6,152	\$6,785
Road Passenger	3,632	5,391	6,025
Road Freight (Through)	3,147	4,682	5,167
Yard	2,749	4,078	4,740
FIREMEN			
Road Freight (Local and Way)	\$2,738	\$4,721	\$5,310
Road Passenger	2,732	4,544	5,176
Road Freight	2,069	3,480	3,914
Yard	1,962	3,156	3,645

Railroad wages computed from Interstate Commerce Commission Statement M-300

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